THE CHURCHES

Grace United Church
Rev. W. P. Woodger, B.A., Minister
Christmas Services

10.30 a.m. — Morning Worship.
Organ Prelude, "March in D," Barkett.
Anthem, "O Come All Ye Faithful," Gounod.
Offertory, "Andantino in B. Flat," Lowden.
Solo, "Shepherds in the Hush of Night," Geoffrey O'Hara, by Mrs. H. Denison.
Sermon, "No Room in The Inn."
Organ Postlude, "Festive March," Hurst.

11.45—Sunday School.
7.00 p.m. — Evening Worship.
Organ Prelude, "Adoration," Borowski.
Anthem, "Sing O Heavens," Simper.
Offertory, "Bercouse." Kindu.
Ladies' Trio, "The Virgin's Slumber Song," Max Reger.
Sermon, "The Picture of Jesus."
8.15 p.m. — Recital.
Anthem, "O Thou That Tellest,' Handel.
Piano and Organ Duo, "Hymne a Sainte Cecile," Gounod, by Mrs. B. M. Black and Mrs. J. E. Madden.
Solo, "The Infant Jesus," Pietro a Yon, by Mr. Reginald Wiseman.
Ladies' Trio, "Over Slumbering Bethl'em," Vorse.
Duet, "O Little Town of Bethlehem" John Pringle Scott, by Mrs. H. Denison and Mr. Reginald Wiseman.
Anthem, "Sing O Heavens," Simper.
Organ and Piano, "Hallelujah Chorus," Handel.
Organist, Mrs. B. M. Black
Choir Leader, Mrs. J. E. Mauden.
Visitors cordially invited to all services.

St. Andrew's United Church
Rev. A. J. Wilson B.A., B.D., Pastor
Special Christmas Music

10.30 a.m.—Morning Service.
11.45 a.m. — Sunday School and Bible Classes.
10.30 a.m. — Morning Voluntary, "Adoration," Felix Borulki. "Christmas March," Emile LeBlanc.
Anthem, "O That Gladdening Story," Macey.
Solo, "There Were Shepherds," John P. Scott, Mrs. Valkman.
7.30 p.m.—Evening Service. Complete Voluntary, "The Shepherds' Salome," "Triumphal March," A. R. Gaul.
Christmas Carols, male voices.
Solo, selected, Miss M. Daly.
Solo, "Christmas Song," Adolph Adam, J. Caldwell.
Anthem, "Glory to God in the Highest," S. C. Scott.
Duet, "O Little Town of Bethlehem," J. P. Scott, Mrs. Valkman and J. Caldwell.

Trinity United Church
Minister: Rev. Harry Pawson
Christmas Services

10.30 a.m. and 7.30 p.m.
At the evening service a sacred cantata, "The Star of Bethlehem," will be rendered by the choir, under the direction of Mr. W. R. Orser, L.R.A.M.
11.45 a.m. — Sunday School.
Monday, 7.30 p.m. — Young People's League.
Wednesday 7.30 p.m. — Mid-Week Service. Series of addresses on "People of the Piierim Road."
Subject, "Self-Will."
On Thursday evening, January 15th, in Trinity Church, Mr. Risca Williams and Miss Delphine Ayres, Sames, noted Welsh artists, will appear in song, music and story.

Adolphustown United Circuit
Rev. Harold F. Sanders, B.A., Minister.
11.00 a.m. — Centennial U. E. L. Church.
2.30 p.m. —Conway Church.
7.30 p.m.—Gilesville Church.
Christmas Theme, "The King."
Friday, December 19th, at 7.30 p.m.—Conway Church Sunday School Christmas Tree.
Christmas Gift Tables by Ladies' Aid.

Enterprise Pastoral Charge
Rev. D. M. Stinson, M.A. B.D., Minister
Christmas Service at all appointments.
Friday, December 19th, Christmas entertainment in Community Hall.

Morven Circuit
Rev. R. W. Street, Pastor.
Switzerville, 10.00 a.m. — Preaching Service.
Switzerville, 11.00 a.m. — Sunday School.
Violet, 2.30 p.m. — Preaching Service.
Morven, Brick Church, 10.15 a.m. — Sunday School.
Morven, Brick Church, 7.00 p.m. — Preaching Service.
Subject, "The Other Wise Man."

Bay Circuit
Rev. J. E. Beckel, Pastor.
Hay Bay, 1.30 p.m. — Sunday School.
Minister, Rev. H. Pawson.
Bethany, 1.30 p.m. — Sunday School.
Bethany, 2.30 p.m. — Preaching Service.
Minister, Rev. W. P. Woodger.
Anderson, 2.00 p.m. — Sunday School.
Anderson, 3.00 p.m. — Preaching Service.
Minister, Rev. G. C. R. McQuade.

Newburgh Circuit
Rev. T. H. P. Anderson, Pastor.
Camden East, 10.00 a.m. — Public Worship
Camden East, 11.15 a.m. — Sunday School.
Wesley, 10.30 a.m.—Sunday School.
Strathcona, 10.30 a.m. — Sunday School.
Strathcona, 11.30 a.m. — Public Worship.
Newburgh, 2.00 p.m.—Sunday School
Newburgh, 7.00 p.m. — Public Worship.
White Gifts for The King.
Tuesday, 7.30 p.m. — Y. P. League.
Thursday, 7.30 p.m. — Prayer Service at Mrs. Dora Vandervoort's.

Selby Circuit
Rev. H. W. Foley, B.A. B.D., Minister.
Selby, 10.00 a.m.—Sunday School.
Selby, 7.00 p.m.—Public Worship. Christmas Service.
Thursday, December 18th, Play, "The Winning of Joy."

PUBLIC SPEAKING CONTEST

Burdette Hamilton Wins

The Lennox and Addington Championship Public Speaking Contest was held in the Assembly Hall of the Napanee Collegiate Institute on Wednesday evening, December 10th. Burdette Hamilton, S. S. No. 3, Yarker, representing School Section, No. 7, Camden, and speaking on "The Maple Tree, was declared the winner. The other speakers were: Freda Brooks, R. R. No. 2, Napanee, from S. S. No. 4; South Fredericksburgh; Faye Kellar, Enterprise, from S. S. No. 24, Camden, and Bertram Henderson, R. R. No. 6, Napanee, from S. S. No. 3, Richmond.
Rev. T. H. P. Anderson, Newburgh, H. W. Foley, W. J. Trenouth, of the Napanee Public School, acted as judges. Mrs. Limbert Graham, representing the Canadian Department Store, presented the silver cup donated by the T. Eaton Company, to the first prize winners at each Rural School Fair in the County. Mr. E. J. Corkill, Inspector of Public Schools, Lennox County, addressed the contestants and presented the medals to the winners in the Public Speaking Contest held at each Rural School Fair in the County.
The winner, Burdette Hamilton, received a beautiful silver cup, donated by Warden A. E. Elliott, Reeve of South Fredericksburgh, who warmly congratulated him on his success.
The competition was conducted by A. D. Runions, Agricultural Representative.

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WEDDING BELLS

ODERKIRK—SPRATT

A quiet but pretty wedding was solemnized at the Trinity Church parsonage, Napanee, on Wednesday, November 26th, by the Rev. Harry Pawson, when Miss Lillian Oderkirk, third youngest daughter of Mr. Irving Oderkirk, became the bride of Micheal Spratt, both of Tamworth. The bride looked charming in a gown of blue silk lace and wore the groom's gift, a white gold bar-pin, set with diamonds. The young couple were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Haggarty, sister and brother of the bride. They were becoming in navy blue suits. The groom's gift, to the bridesmaid was a gold bar-pin, set with diamonds and to the best man, a set of gold cuff links. After the ceremony, they motored to Kingston where a dainty wedding supper was served at the home of the bride's sister, Mr. and Mrs. James Breen. The many useful and pretty presents received show the high esteem in which the young couple are held. After their honeymoon they will reside at Tamworth, where the groom is a prosperous young farmer.

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GOVERNMENT ESSAY COMPETITION

The ten young men from Lennox and Addington, who attended the Royal Winter Fair as guests of the Ontario Department of Agriculture, all wrote essays on their trip. The writers of the three best essays in each County will receive a book on Agriculture, while the first prize essay will be sent to Toronto, where they will again be judged against the first in best essays will receive a free two-week's short course, either at the O. A. C., Guelph, or the K. A. S., Kemptville. Following is a list of the prize winners in Lennox and Addington:
First—Allan Aylsworth, Napanee.
Second— Donald Paul, No. 2, Napanee.
3rd—Ross McRae, Selby.
The young men also tried an examination, set by the Ontario Department of Agriculture, on their trip to the Royal Winter Fair and general agriculture. The winning paper in each county is also sent to Toronto, where they are again marked and the 15 young men with the highest marks will each receive $100 Scholarship from the T. Eaton Company, towards a course in agriculture at the Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph. Mr. Walter Wood, R. R. No. 4, Odessa, received the highest marks on the examination in this County.
The young men were quite enthusiastic about both the essay competition and the examination, and they all made an entry in both competitions. The examination was held in the office of the Agricultural Representative, on Monday, December 8th.

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Friday, December 19th — Christmas Tree and entertainment.

Parish of Camden
Rector: Rev. R. W. Spencer.
St. Luke's Church, Camden East, at 10.45 a.m.
St. Anthony's Church, Yarker, at 3.00 p.m.
St. John's Church, Newburgh, at 7.00 p.m.

Bath Pastoral Charge
Rev. Fred. Horton, Pastor
Christmas Services

Hawley, 11.00 a.m.—Rev. F. Horton.
Wesley, 2.30 p.m.—Rev. F. Horton.
Bath, 7.00 p.m.—Rev. F. Horton.
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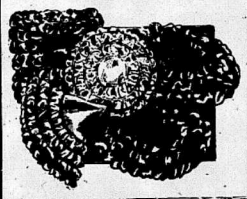

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OBITUARY

MRS. ELLEN SHERLOCK

At her home in Camden East, Ont., on December 3rd, 1930, Mrs. Ellen Sherlock, widow of the late William Sherlock, passed to her reward, at the age of 91 years and 6 months. The late Mrs. Sherlock was a life-long resident of this community and an honored member of the former Methodist and later of the United Church, of this place. In the pioneer days of organs and choirs in Methodist churches, our sister was among the first to fill the positions of organist and choir leader in Camden East. When the Women's Missionary Society was organized in the early days, she deputed and elected president, which position she held for some years. About ten years ago she was re-elected and continued to hold that position until the time of her death. Her zeal for the missionary cause was evidenced by her life of practical service for the missionaries of the foreign field, and for the needy at home. Those who knew her best can truthfully say: "A veritable Dorcas, full of good works, alms and deeds, which she did. As a member of the Ladies' Aid, her helpful support was always to be depended upon.
The prayer-meeting and public worship were her delight. Those services she was able to attend to within a few weeks of her passing away.
She is survived by one son, Mr. Philip J. Sherlock, of Ellisville, Ont., who was present at the bedside of his mother during her last days; Mrs. Burritt, of Napanee, Mrs. McNaughton, of Montreal and Mrs. Clysdale, of Peterborough, are nieces.
The funeral service, in the United Church, was conducted by her Pastor, Rev. T. H. P. Anderson, who delivered an address in which he tenderly reviewed a life filled with unselfish devotion to others and the work of the church. Rev. A. H. Hore assisted with the service.
The choir, knowing of the wish of the deceased, sang, "Shall we Gather at the River."
"They rest from their labors and their works do follow them."

Courting in a canoe; honeymoon at the beach; divorce.

OBITUARY.

MRS. OTTIE C. HUFFMAN

Alma E. VanAlstine, wife of Ottis C. Huffman, passed peacefully away at her home in Moscow, on Tuesday, December 9th, 1930. Mrs. Huffman, since early summer, has been failing in health and the best medical aid and advice was sought with no avail. She bore her illness with patience, never relaxing her fight against a fatal disease, which claimed for its victim one of the brightest and most robust young women in the community. She leaves to mourn the loss of a loving wife and very indulgent mother, her husband and two children, Betty and Jack, aged 10 and 7 years respectively, also her heart-broken father, Marcus VanAlstine. Mrs. Huffman's bright and cheerful disposition will be missed by her ease, which claimed for its victim so many friends who knew her best.

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SCHOOL REPORT

Following is the report of School Section No. 3, Adolphustown, for the term from September to December:—

Senior IV—George McDonald 81, Daly Baldwin 77, Elsie Snelley 74.

Junior IV—Wayne Bygott 60, Jim Mack 58, Stanley Shelby 56, Edwin Rombough 48.

Senior III—Helen Thumpson 86, Marion Baldwin 78, Jim Howie 68, Harry Laveck 68, Minnie Beasley 66, Harold Laveck 65, Edna Shelley 61, Willard Conley 55, John Rombough 49.

Junior II — Doris Baldwin 85, Helen Laveck 71, Annie Shelley 70, Grace Howie 58, Donnie Reynolds 41, Angus McDonald 41, John Mack 35.

Senior Primer — Catharine McDonald, Gladys John and Gwendolyin Mack and Donald Shelley, equal.

Junior Primer — Mary Trumpour, Lavern Abrams, Leroy Abrams, Morley Reynolds, Gertie Howie, Maurice Baldwin, Kenneth Abrams.

Average attendance, 20.

MRS. OPIE BARKER, Teacher.

PERSONALS

It is the desire of the publishers that all should take an interest in this column of The Beaver. If you have friends visiting you, or are going away for a trip, leave word or send it on a Post Card.

Mr. H. B. Spencer, of Toronto, is visiting his mother, Mrs. D. W. Spencer, Richard Street.

Mr. Marshall Parks, who has been spending the summer in Napanee with his sister, Mrs. George Greer, left on Monday for San Francisco, Cal., where he will spend a few months with his son, Mr. Herbert Parks.

Mr. J. Judson and Mr. Earl Alkenbrack, are home from the Ontario College of Pharmacy for their holidays.

Mr. Frank Harrington is home from North Bay for his holidays.

Captain Steele, of the C. N. Publicity Department, will give an illustrated address on French Canada at the Rotary Club luncheon.

Miss Jean Fairbairn and Miss Freda Millsap, of Belleville, spent the week end at the latter's home, Adelphi St.

Mr. George Perry arrived home on Friday to spend the winter with the family.

Mr. Aubrey Pringle arrived home last week to spend the winter with his parents.

Mr. Edward Baughan spent the week end with his mother last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Waddingham, of Melrose, spent the week end at the home of John Gibson.

Messrs. Wiggins, McGregor, Howitt, Montgomery and MacKenzie, and Rev. A. J. Wilson, went to Belleville to hear the Moderator of the United Church.

Mr. J. H. Moffat arrived home Monday from New York.

Bishop Seager, the Bishop of Ontario was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Robinson over the week end.

Dr. Stratton, who has been ill in the Kingston General Hospital, is home and much improved.

Miss Agnes Loyst, of Timmins, Ont., is to arrive home next Sunday for the Christmas holidays. Master Stuart Vanderwater, Toronto, will accompany her to visit his grandparents, Mr and Mrs. A. S. Vanderwater.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Woods, of Roblin, are spending the week in Toronto and attended the Liberal Convention at the King Edward Hotel.

On Friday afternoon, Miss Marguerite Patterson, Mexico City, was the hostess at a very pleasant farewell tea at the Cowdray Sanatorium, in honor of Miss Margaret Trsquair. The tea table was effectively decorated with yellow rosebuds and Forget-me-nots. Miss Traquair was leaving for Hamilton Ont., where she is to marry Mr. Howard Buckman, formerly connected with the Bank of Montreal in this city. The tea was attended by members of the medical staff, the nurses staff of the Cowdray Sanatorium anda number of friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Blake Huycf and Miss Josephine, and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Miller, spent the week end in Toronto with Mr. and Mrs. Don Huyck, 912 Broadview Avenue.

Mr. Mathers, Ottawa, and Mr. Perry Young took dinner on Saturday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Young, en route for Picton.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Norris and family spent Sunday evening the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. Young.

BIRTHS

STEVENS — In Toronto, on December 18th, 1930, to Mr. and Mrs. Allie Stevens, a son. Mrs. Stevens will be remembered in Napanee as Captain Thomas, of the Salvation Army.

MARRIAGES

PARKS—SNIDER — At Hawley, on Saturday, December 6th, 1930, by Rev. George C. R. McQuade, Lorna Ilene, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Parks, to Mr. Herschel. I. Snider, of Odessa.

DEATHS

SMITH — At Forest Mills, on Tuesday, December 7th, 1930, Robert Smith, aged 72 years.

HUFFMAN — AT Moscow, on Tuesday, December 9th, 1930, Alma Huffman, aged 42 years.

BELL — At Moscow, on Monday, December 15th, 1930, James Stewart Bell, aged 86 years.

FOX — At North Fredericksburgh, on Monday, December 15th, 1930, Miss Florence Fox, aged 3 months, 10 days.

PYBUS — At Kingston General Hospital, on Tuesday, December 16th, 1930, Harold Roger Pybus, aged 27 years, 2 months.

HANNAH — At Tamworth, on November 30th, 1930, Charles O. Hannah, in his 43rd year.

CARD OF THANKS

In future all insertions of Cards of Thanks and In Memoriam will be inserted in The Beaver only if the money accompanies the order, at the following rates: Card of Thanks, 75c.; In Memoriam, 50c., and 50c. additional for each verse.

Mr. W. A. MacWilliams and family wish to thank their many friends and neighbours for the kindness and sympathy shown them in their recent sad bereavement, in the loss of a devoted Wife and Mother, also for the beautiful floral tributes. 51ap

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of Mrs. Albert Hudson, who departed this life, December 21st, 1929.

Sadly missed by Husband, Son and Daughter. 51a

IN MEMORIAM

In sad but loving memory of our Dear Mother, Mary J. Winters, who departed this life, December 18th, 1929. She always had some cheerful word;
Her smiles we see them yet;
Her tender love for ever one
We never shall forget.
And when all is still and silent,
And sleep forsakes our eyes;
Our thoughts are in that silent grave,
Where our Dear Mother lies.
Tenderly remembered by her Children. 51ap

N. C. I. NEWS

As the Boys' Basketball season opens after the New Year, the N. C. I. boys have been practicing steadily now for the past two weeks. This year there will be a senior and a junior team, representing the school in the Bay of Quinte League. Those over sixteen must play senior, while those under sixteen are in the junior ranks.

Prospects are bright this season for the seniors, as they possess a fast combination and their shooting is fairly accurate. However the latter can be remedied by practice.

A practice was recently held, in which the Vocational boys provided the opposition for the "Day" boys. The night school has a good team and the Collegiate made a good showing against them, considering the fact that the Juniors played half of the game. The Vocationals won by a slight margin.

A gym class has been started in gymnastics, mat tumbling and boxwork. The boys hope to stage a mid-winter entertainment of this kind, which will certainly prove popular. This sort of work has been done before by the students, but this time, new ideas in every line of the work should make the show a great success.

The Annual Commencement Exercises will be held in the Assembly Hall on the evening of Friday, December 19th, at 8.00 p.m. The chief address will be given by His Honour, Judge Deroche. Medals, scholarships, prizes, cups, and diplomas will be presented. A charge of 25c for adults and 15c for children will be made, of which half will go to the Boys' Band which is in charge of the musical part of the programme, and half to the student's fund. It is hoped that a large number will be present to encourage the work of the school.

SEASON TICKETS FOR SKATING RINK

Season tickets for the Napanee Skating Rink, are on sale at Hooper's Drug Store, Superior Service Station, and at the Rink. Family ticket, $5.00; Adults, $2.50; Children, 14 and under, $1.50. "A ticket is a gift that lasts the whole season." 51a

WEDDING BELLS

SNIDER — PARKS

The home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Parks, Hawley was the scene of a very pretty wedding on Saturday, December 6th at 11.00 a.m. when their daughter Lorena Ilene, became the bride of Herschel I. Snider, only son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Snider, of Odessa. The Rev. George McQuade, pastor of the Odessa Church, performed the ceremony.

Miss Edna Snider, sister of the groom played the wedding march. The bride who was given in marrige by her father, looked charming in a gown of white georgette, made on princess lines, with touches of silk roses. She wore the gift of the groom, a gold bar pin, with pearl settings and carried an arm bouquet of Arphia roses and Lily-of-the-valley.

The wedding ceremony took place under an arch of evergreens decorated with white and yellow chrysanthemums.

After the formal congratulations the bride led the way to the dining room, where a dainty luncheon was served to the immediate friends.

Later Mr. and Mrs. Snider left by motor for Detroit the bride travelling in brown silk crepe with brown velvet hat and Hudson seal coat.

Upon their return they will reside at Odessa.

Two dollars worth of Christmas Cards, Tags and Seals, packed in box, no two cards alike, all for $1.00, at Wallace's.. also other assorted boxes at 25c, 35c and 50c.

OBITUARY

CHARLES O. HANNAH

On Sunday, November 30th, at Tamworth, a sad gloom was cast over the village, when one of the prominent business men, Charles O. Hannah, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Sampson Hannah, of Reidville, passed away after eighteen months illness. Everything that medical aid and loving hands could do was done, but of no avail. The deceased was in his forty-third year and for the past nine years conducted a butcher business. He was well and favorably known; a member of the I. O. O. F. and trustee of the Tamworth Continuation School, in which he always took a great interest. He leaves to mourn his loss, his wife and three sons, William, Edmund and John. Two brothers, Johnston, of Reidville, Alex, of Tamworth; his brother, William, predeceased him about twenty years ago; three sisters, Mrs. J. P. Daff, Brooklyn N.Y., Mrs. H. Kennedy and Miss Miriam Hannah, of Tamworth. The funeral was conducted by Rev. R. A. Penny, assisted by Rev. A. D. Waite, and was largely attended. The pall bearers were David Drew, Wilbert Carney, Hugh Haggerty, Jacob, Clare and William Wagar. The floral tributes were beautiful, showing the high esteem in which the deceased was held.

Any good negative enlarged and framed in a beautiful gilt frame for 79c at Wallace's. Makes an inexpensive gift, and one that is always appreciated by your friends.

HOGS WANTED

Will ship hogs and calves from Napanee, Newburgh, and Marlowe, on Friday, December 19th, and will pay highest market price for all live stock. C. I. RUSSELL, 'Phone 412, Napanee J. E. HARRISON, 'Phone Newburgh 3 WILL KENNEY, Odessa. JAMES EVANS, Moscow.

Will ship Hogs and Calves from Robllndale and Lonsdale Station, on Thursday, December 18th, and every week till further notice, and will pay highest market price for all livestock. J. E. HARRISON, 'Phone Newburgh 3 C. I. RUSSELL, 'Phone 412, Napanee LEE DAVIS, Forest Mills.

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C. W. HAMBLY, 'Phone 238, Napanee.

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—Letter writing is becoming a lost art. The telephone, the typewriter and other modern inventions have made obsolete the long and carefully written letters of last century. The newspaper—particularly that of the smaller town, carries so much that we formerly included in letters. Why not send The Beaver for a year to the member of the family who is away.— $1.50 per year; $2.00 to the States.

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ONTARIO ARCHIVES TORONTO

Fascinating Links In Canada's History

The Simcoe Glass was used by Lord Willingdon in Toronto, in drinking a toast to the health of His Majesty the King. The place was the historic old library of the Art Gallery and Lord and Lady Willingdon were the guests of the Royal Canadian Academy.

The glasses are of Old English crystal, "Bottoms up," a style of glass that the wine must be finished in before the glass is put down. A special bowl accompanies the glasses. The old custom in the use of the glasses is to toss in the use of the glasses is to fill-make a loving cup and the bowl is filled with water and after each guest has drunk the glass, is turned in the bowl and handed to the next guest.

The glasses came into the possession of the Art Gallery library from the estate of Hon. Charles Stuart, a son of Old English crystal. "Bottoms up," a style of glass that the wine must be finished in before the glass is put down. A special bowl accompanies the glasses. The old custom

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RICHMOND MINUTES

Council met in Municipal Hall Selby. The members were all present, the Reeve presiding.

The minutes of last meeting were read and adopted.

Moved by Mr. McQuaig, seconded by Mr. Oliver, that Road Pay Lists for month of November be paid, $81.40, be passed and cheques issued to various men on List. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Oliver, seconded by Mr. McQuaig, that the account of Herrington, Warner & Grange, $7.50, be paid. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Haggerty, seconded by Mr. McQuaig, that the following refunds, errors in dog assessment, be made: W. G. Pringle $1.00; Jas. Brown $1.00; Alfred McCutcheon $1.00. Carried.

The Road Supt. presented to the Council a list of names of men to keep the roads open this winter.

Council adjourned to meet Dec. 15th to receive Financial Statement and to appoint Deputy Returning Officers and Poll Clerks for the Municipal election in January, 1931.

H. A. WOOD, Clerk.

Wife, Gas, Scare Man In Dead of Night

"Overcome by stomach gas in the dead of night, I scared my husband badly. He got Adlerika and it ended the gas."— Mrs. M. Owen.

Adlerika relieves stomach gas in TEN minutes! Acts on BOTH upper and lower bowel, removing old poisonous waste you never knew was there. Don't fool with medicine which cleans only PART of bowels, but let Adlerika give stomach and bowels a REAL cleaning and get rid of all gas!

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MAIL CHRISTMAS PACKAGES EARLY

Appeals are being made to the public by the Postmaster General and his assistant, requesting the early mailing of Christmas parcels. Hon. Arthur Sauve, Postmaster General, in a moviestone, which will be shown from coast to coast, asked that observance of early mailing be made this year more than any other year.

Another way in which the public may cooperate with the postoffice department in expediting Christmas mail is by exercising more care in packing and wrapping parcels. It is stated that millions of dollars are wasted each year through careless and improper packing which destroys merchandise through loss and breakage and invites pilfering.

The outstanding principles of good packing and wrapping are: Paper wrapping alone should be used only for such commodities as readily lend themselves to that form of packing. Fragile articles of all kinds need the protection of a box or other outside container in addition to paper used for cushioning; when several loose articles are to be wrapped in a single package they should first be tied together to prevent any shifting; strong, tough paper should be used. The twine used in tieing should be strong and drawn tight to allow for stretching. The marking on parcels also is very important. They should always be marked plainly.

Well Inflated. "I wonder why it is that fat men are always good natured?

"Probably because it takes them so long to get mad clear through."—Capper's Weekly.

Drowning the Cackle. "Do you enjoy grand opera?"

"Yes," answered Mr. Cumrox; "especially when it is loud enough to keep me from hearing a lot of fool conversation that's going on around me."—Washington Star.

TALES OF THE STAGE

CELEBRITIES TELL AMUSING ANECDOTES.

"Best Stories" by Famous Stars of the Theatrical and Musical World —Getting the Goat—Wasn't He Wonderful.

Interviewing celebrities is all in the day's work on the freelance journalist—and dull work it can be sometimes, says a writer in Answers. But it has its moments, and many are the good stories which the writer has heard in the course of these interviews.

Many an amusing unrehearsed effect has been witnessed on the stage. Here is a personal experience which Miss Peggy O'Neil related to me:

"This happened in a play called 'Matrimony.' The villain, beautifully dressed, comes to see Maggie's home and steer at it. The stage was arranged with a number of fences and a little outhouse, in which a goat was chained. The goat was combed and seated daily; he was good friends with me, but he had entered into the spirit of the play and hated the villain.

"One night, some careless person put the animal into his little house without remembering to chain him up. The villain, overly unconscious of this, came on in due course to do his sneering; but he didn't get time to do very much.

"At sight of his enemy, the goat dashed out across the stage with head lowered, and, coming up behind the villain, sent him clean across the fences to the far side of the stage. Before the astounded actor could run off, the goat was behind him again; no sooner had he climbed to his feet than he was sent flying back to where he started from!

"The house simply rocked with delight. But if the playgoers were amused, the actor was not. As he limped off I heard him stammer furiously: 'I refuse to p-play again with that da-da-damned goat!'"

All music-lovers know the name of Mr. Mark Hambourg, the famous pianist. Like other great artists, Mr. Hambourg has travelled all over the world. Here is one of his anecdotes from "down under":

"Perhaps the most amusing tribute I ever received came from a member of the audience during a recital of mine at Sydney, New South Wales. I was playing with an accompanist, and our two pianos were set back to back on the platform. The hall was not very light, so the man at the other piano was quite invisible to certain members of the audience.

"During a Concerto of Chopin, I stopped playing for a few bars, while the other continued to perform. This called forth the following remark from a musical enthusiast who did not know I accompanied:

"'Oh,' she exclaimed to her friend in a penetrating voice, 'isn't Mark Hambourg a wonderful musician! Why, look at him now! He's taken his hands from the keys and is playing with his pedals!'"

Here is an amusing reminiscence of Miss Clarice Maynes earlier days:

"Sometimes an outsider's idea of stage economy will lead to funny results. Soon after I had gone on the stage I got an engagement at Margate. When I arrived there I enjoyed me great delight to see that they had got my name at the foot of the bill in one big character. Soon afterwards I happened to meet a girl friend and, still full of the new importance, I exclaimed:

"'Do you know you're at the bottom of the bill this week?'

"She gave me a sympathetic glance and put my arm.

"'Never mind, my dear,' she soothed. 'You'll get a salary all the same, so don't fret about it!'"

This is the age of the bourgeois. Here is a story about one of these super-men which was related to me by Mr. G. B. Cochran.

"During the war foreign artists were only admitted to England by permit. When the famous tragedienne Sarah Bernhardt came over to pay a visit she was confronted on landing by a very obstinate official.

"This gentleman showed no sign of intelligence when her name was repeated to him. He said he never went to theatres and would like the name spelt out slowly to him. Finally he consented to issue the following permit: 'Admit one actress — Bernhardt'."

Serious people with no sense of humor will sometimes unconsciously cause a lot of amusement. It was while playing in "Mr. Chaser" at the Haymarket Theatre, London, that Miss Fay Compton told me this anecdote:

"That some people look upon all actresses as bandboxed beings I know from personal experience. Once a very earnest gentleman took upon himself to write me a long, long letter.

"He said he was sorry to think that I followed such a godless profession as the stage, and he was sufficiently daring to save me. If this could be accomplished in no other way, he was even prepared to go the length of marrying me.

"Strange to say, I did not even remember to answer his letter; in fact I forgot all about him. Then came a dull day afternoon when we were expecting a plumber to come and do some work at our flat.

"Sure enough, the bell rang and the door was opened, but instead of the plumber it was my Respectable correspondent. He was about sixty, and he talked at me unceasingly for quite days. He promised, if I would marry him, never to reproach me for having been so unkind. He would forget and forgive my deplorable past. I felt I must answer with suppressed laughter, so, pretending I had a rehearsal, I ran away and left him with my mother."

The Yew Tree.

It takes forty years to grow a yew tree in the shape of a peacock, the first real cutting not taking place until the tree is fifteen years old.

Beware of This Slow Killer:—

You need not fear the spider vamp,
Who looks and acts the part,
It's the shy young thing with the downcast eye,
Who pretends to swallow all your bull.
That's going to smash your head in.

The Siberian Meteorite

BLASTED FORESTS

1,000 Square Miles of Devastation.

This meteorite fell in the Jenisei district of Siberia on June 30th, 1908. The flashes and thunder of its fall were heard by tens of thousands of persons, even in that sparsely inhabited district, and the seismographs at Irkutsk registered earthquake waves caused by the impact. The director of the Physical Observatory at Irkutsk, Vassiliev, fixed the centre of the fall must be near latitude 60 degrees North and longitude 90 degrees East.

Though rumours of devastation penetrated from that inaccessible region, the nature of the phenomenon was not actively discussed until 1921. In that year, when Russian scientists were suffering hunger and the Academy of Sciences had to mourn, Wernadsky, Oldenburg, and Kulik placed their plan for an expedition to discover the meteorite before Lunacharsky, the Commissar for Public Instruction.

On September 8th, 1921, an expedition left Leningrad, under the leadership of Professor Kulik, for Kansk, in Siberia. The immense destructiveness of the meteorite was confirmed, but the place of fall, the meteor crater, was apparently far away from the first traces of destruction. The expedition returned with many specimens for the Mineralogical Museum.

With Ski and Reindeer

In March, 1927, Professor Kulik led a second expedition to Jenisei. After marching through blizzards with temperatures of 40 degrees c. (32 degrees F. —i.e., 64 degrees of frost) the expedition arrived at Keshma, on the River Angara. Then they formed a caravan for Wanawara, on the River Tunguska. There they learned that the way to the north-west was impossible for horses, but perhaps attemptable with skis and reindeer. The end of March was approaching, and haste became necessary because of the coming thaw.

The expedition engaged a Tungus to lead them into the crater region. He had a family of four and had ten reindeer. They covered no more than four to five miles a day, because the Tunguses started the day with "endless drinking of tea" and were not ready to strike camp until 10 a.m. At 4.30 p.m. they halted, and imbibed more fathomless draughts of tea. In spite of the exasperating sloth, the explorers discovered the craters.

They were from ten to fifty yards in diameter and about four yards deep. The bottom was covered with swampy moss. Round the edge of the craters the earth was crinkled into waves, while the primeval forest had been consumed in heat, leaving the ground bare. Further from the craters the trees had been blown down like corn under a gale. Here and there some trees had been left standing, where the waves of compression in the air from the meteoric explosions had interfered and cancelled each other.

Blasted Forests

The huge "blast" of hot gas caused by heat from the impact of the meteors on the earth rushed forth and blew a forest down, singeing the branches of foliage of the trees Professor Kulik estimates that the temperature of the blast of gas must have been at least 1,000 degrees C. in parts. The expansion of the air before the hot gas caused terrific squalls hundreds of kilometres away, lifting carts and horses in the air and carrying them for yards. The weight of the meteorites is estimated to be at least 120 tons. The major part of them is probably buried deep in the craters. Fragments weighing a few kilos have been found in the crater of iron and nickel, with a little platinum.

Since the cataclysm occurred in 1908 the devastated region and animal and life of the district have had time to recover. But all the trees are young, none being more than seven years old. As the explorers approached the region they found the vegetation and the number of wild animals gradually decreasing, for the animals cannot live if there is no vegetation to eat or other animals on which to prey. The area of blasted primeval forest amounts to a thousand or so square miles.

The return from the exploration of the craters was more of a flight than a triumphal march, Professor Kulik explains. They had only two or three days' provisions, and the thaw was near. They shot a few ducks and caught fish and gathered some edible herbs by the way, but these they had to share with their faithful companion, the horse they had lately bought. Marching knee-deep through water, snow, and mud, they covered two hundred miles in six days.

Reaching the River Tschunga, they found the ice covered with two feet of water, and two days later, under the April sun, the river was free from ice. Hourly it rose about six inches, and the expedition drifted to the west with the flood thirty miles in five or six hours. The next thirty days they voyaged in this manner. Ultimately they succeeded in marching right round the devastated area, so there could be no longer be any doubt that the craters they had found were all the centre of the fall. Their journey of eight hundred miles was accomplished in three weeks, including three rest days.

ADDITIONAL REVENUE FOR WESTERN SHEEPMEN

One Hundred and Fifty Thousand Dollars Being Distributed—Ontario Next

Considering the present rather unsatisfactory state of things in the country, and also that the Christmas season is rapidly approaching, the announcement by the Canadian Co-operative Wool Growers that $150,000.00 as an additional payment for wool is being distributed through the Western Provinces, immediately, is of more than usual interest. This money is going to individual growers and associations who consigned wool during the past season and is over and above all payments previously made.

Plans for a similar distribution to Ontario shippers are also being worked out and it is expected that cheques will be in the mail well before Christmas. This additional revenue to the wool growers of Canada will be welcomed at this time and it should be of some assistance at least in maintaining faith in Canada's sheep industry.

Douglas' Egyptian Liniment is especially recommended for spider, or infection of cow's teat. Invaluable also in cases of sparvins, curbs and splints.

Special Session to Rehabilitate Farm Life Of Dominion?

Will there be two emergent sessions of the Canadian Parliament within six months?

One was called last September, within six weeks of the election of Premier Bennett so deal with unemployment. At that time there was a year old and serious but not acute problem of farm depression. Solution of it had been attempted by the Western Prairie provinces.

The months which have elapsed since the September session of parliament have not indicated that provincial efforts were successful. Conditions in the Prairie Provinces are beyond local control. They are predicted upon local crop reverses and upon world market conditions.

They are accentuated by conditions in other branches of industry which the September meeting of Parliament was designed to alleviate; but the farm conditions in many communities could not be foreseen in September and could not be materially benefitted by the action then taken by the Government.

Premier Bennett, cabling from midocean, has declared that the question of agriculture in Canada is his first concern and that until it is properly readjusted, he has no time for official welcomes. What his decision on arrival will be is not clear but the impression in Ottawa, is that he will call parliament together at least a month earlier than he anticipated, in order that the agricultural situation may be dealt with.

The backbone of Canadian purchasing power is the new wealth brought into being each year by the grain fields of Canada and until this power is rehabilitated there can be no return of national prosperity.

Hard Luck Tale. "Good morning, Sir. I'm a Bonds Salesman."

"That's all right, my good fellow. Here's a quarter—go buy yourself a square meal."—Oklahoma Whirlwind.

WARN POTATO GROWERS

While there is a marked improvement on the part of potato growers in the grading and marking of their product for sale the general practice is still far short of the requirements of federal regulations under the Root Vegetables Act. The Dominion Fruit Commissioner states that in Ontario alone over fifty infractions have been dealt with by his inspection staff so far this year. The general requirements for marketing potatoes are: They must be graded "Canada No. 1," "Canada No. 2," "Canada No. 3," or 'Canada Fancy"; the grade must be marked by a tag on bags and by stencilling on barrels or other containers, the marking to show the name and address of the grower and the grade of potatoes in the package. The regulations for grading and marking apply equally throughout Canada and infractions involve serious penalties.

TAKING PAY IN WHEAT

Pioneer days are recalled by conditions now existing on the Prairies. Field Staff of the Federal Department of Agriculture report that having no money with which to purchase flour farmers are hauling their grain in some instances as far as twenty-five miles to the country mill. Mills are finding it difficult to cope with the demand. Approximately 90 per cent of the flour milled is put through on a gristing basis of around twenty-five cents per bushel, which is usually paid for with wheat. The farmer is paying his store bills with the flour and bran and shorts home to feed. In many cases small farmers are helping their more prosperous neighbours and taking their pay in wheat.

WHY SUFFER FROM YOUR LIVER?

Why be handicapped with unsightly blotches on the face, eyes with yellow tinge and that tired and languid feeling? This indicates a torpid liver

Headache, Dizziness and Biliousness usually follow. You must stimulate your lazy liver, start the bile flowing with Dr. Carter's Little Liver Pills.

They also act as a mild laxative, purely vegetable, free from calomel and poisonous drugs, and easy to swallow, and not habit forming. They are not a purgative that cramps or pains, unpleasant after effect following, on the contrary a good tonic. All Druggists 25c and 75c red pkgs.

WILL SAVE MILLIONS

The use of movable partitions in stock-cars will not only permit the shipment of mixed carloads of live stock but by reducing the possibilities of injury and bruising to a minimum, will save the live stock industry literally millions of dollars annually. As a result of the findings of a national committee of which Dr. J. H. Grisdale, Federal Deputy Minister of Agriculture, was chairman; the Live Stock Associations of Eastern and Western Canada joined forces in presenting a petition to the Railway Board seeking a compel railways to install and use at least two moveable partitions of suitable type in all cars used for the transportation of live stock. The suggested specific toll for cars so equipped is One Dollar ($1) per car per trip. The annual loss through bruising alone under present conditions is placed at over $2,500,000.

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No matter whether it is a little ache or a big pain, no matter whether it comes from headache, neuralgia, the monthly periods of women or how it is said, ZUTOO TABLETS will relieve it in 20 minutes and leave you feeling good. Recommended and used by thousands as the standard remedy for pain. FOR SALE AT ALL DRUGGISTS. PRICE $0.50
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Hosiery and Gloves, newest shades in Gift Boxes
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Fine Linens, Chiffons, etc, in snappy boxes
Toilet Sundries, Bath Salts, Powder and Soaps
New Boxed Stationery, real good quality in attractive boxes

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Good Cosy Bedroom Slippers
Sweaters, Hosiery and Gloves
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HUNT'S CHOCOLATES WERE THE FAVORITES!

With their rich Red Christmas packages, Hunt's, last year, made a wonderful hit! This year we will have dozens and dozens of Hunt's, in smaller boxes at 60c, $1.00, $2.00 and $3.00. These will arrive just in time for the Christmas trade, so that every piece will be deliciously fresh—Maybelle's, agents for Hunt's, Smiles n' Chuckles and Neilson's.

BIG BENEFIT DANCE FOR BEAVER SANTA CLAUS FUND

Turn your pleasure into a good channel! When enjoying yourself, why not at the same time assist those who cannot help themselves? The Beaver Santa Claus Fund needs, this year, all the help it can get. A benefit dance, in the Town Hall, will help a lot. The music will be furnished by a first-class orchestra. Admission $1.00 per couple.

GOLF CLUB DANCE
The Napanee Golf Club will hold their Annual Dance on Thursday evening, January 1st, 1931. 51a

REDHILL VALLEY XMAS CONCERT
The Christmas Concert of School Section No. 21, Camden, will be held in Knox Church, Redhill, on Monday, Dec. 22nd, at 8 p.m. Admission—Adults 25c., children 15c. 50bp

NOTICE!
The Christmas Concert of School Section No. 1, will be held in the Parish Hall, Adolphustown, December 19th, at 8.00 o'clock. Admission, adults 25c, children 10c. 49c

TRINITY CHURCH
The Trinity Church Sunday School Christmas entertainment will be held on Monday, December 22nd, at 7.30 p.m. 51a

S. S. NO. 12, RICHMOND CHRISTMAS CONCERT
S. S. No. 12, Richmond, will hold their Christmas Concert, December 23, at 8.00 o'clock p.m. Admission for adults, 15 cents; Children, free. 51a

CHRISTMAS SHOPPING SIMPLIFIED
Twelve photographs make twelve beautiful gifts. Make your appointment now. Prices to suit all. The Shannon Studio. 47tf

OH BOY! COME AND SEE!
"The Winning of Joy," a comedy-drama, which will be given by the Selby Dramatic Club, at Selby, on December 18th, 1930. Admission 35c and 20 cents. 48c

FOUNTAIN PENS FOR CHRISTMAS!
Sheaffer pens at $3.00, $5.00 and $10.00; Waterman's at $2.75, $3.50 and $7.00; Parker's at $2.75, $5.00 and up to $10.00 A tremendous assortment in pens and sets, at Wallace's.

CHRISTMAS CONCERT
The South Fredericksburgh School, (School Section No. 5), will give their Christmas Concert, in the Sillsville Town Hall, on Thursday evening, December 18th, 1930, at 8.00 o'clock. Admission, 25 cents. 50bp

CHRISTMAS CANDY AT WALLACE'S
An immense shipment of Canada's Finest Chocolates will arrive for the Christmas trade, at Wallace's, agents for Smiles n' Chuckles, Hunt's and Neilson's.

SWITZERVILLE CHRISTMAS CONCERT
The Christmas concert of the Switzerville Sunday School will be held in the Switzerville Church, Friday, December 19th, at 8.00 p.m. Recitations, dialogues and good children's program. Adults, 25 cents; Children, free. 51a

MEN'S FORUM
The Men's Forum opened on Sunday last with a good attendance. Now that the cold weather has arrived, Sunday afternoons can be well spent at Wonderland. Remember the hour 3.00 to 4.00 o'clock. Good music, good singing, good talk. No collection.

HOCKEY MEETING
On Thursday night, at 7.00 p.m., there will be a meeting in the Town Hall, of all the young fellows who are interested in juvenile hockey. Don't fail to attend if you are at all interested. — E. Watts.

RADIOS! RADIOS!
1 Majestic Radio, 1929-1930 Model, at a money saving price—no trade in.
1 Used Majestic Radio.
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2 Trickle Chargers.
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SEASON TICKETS FOR SKATING RINK
Season Tickets for the Napanee Skating Rink are on sale at Hooper's Drug Store, Superior Service Station and at the Rink. Family tickets $5.00; Adults $2.50; Children 14 and under $1.50. "A ticket is a gift that lasts the whole season." 51a

"THE ADENTURES OF GRANDPA."
A first-class farce, that provokes smiles 'n chuckles all the time, will be presented in the Parish Hall, Camden East, under the auspices of the A. Y. P. A., to-morrow (Thursday) evening, December 18th, at 8.00 p.m, Admission 35 cents and 25 cents. 51ap

ONE DOLLAR BUYS ANY ONE OF THE FOLLOWING
At Wallace's: — A Yardley Shaving bowl; a package of Congress playing cards; a waterman made Fountain Pen, a lovely Box of Stationery, a dandy Flashlight, complete with batteries; some Christmas Cards and Seals, a Simmons Shaving Brush, guaranteed for five years; a lovely Christmas package of Hunt's Chocolates, a genuine Cashmere Bootie; a bottle of Yardley's Bath Salts; a box of Seeley's Body Powder, a neat Compact, made by Hudnut — and dozens of other items at the popular price of $1.00 — Christmas shopping made easy at Wallace's Drug Store.

Local Jottings

—Local and long distance trucking. FRANK HARNDEN, Napanee, 'Phone 260.

—On Thursday night of this week, at 7.00 p.m. there will be a hockey meeting in the Town Hall of all the young fellows who are interested in juvenile hockey.—E. Watts.

—Owing to the stormy day, the regular meeting of the Maple Leaf Women's Institute will be held on Thursday, December 18th, at 1.30 p.m., at the home of Mrs. J. W. Cummings. Programme as advertised last week.

—To sufferers of rheumatism, gout, sciatica and neuritis, and uric poisoning, I have a real remedy, certain in results, and quick relief. A harmless and drugless mineral remedy. Call or write MRS. W. M. HENDERSON, R.M.D. No. 1, Napanee. 47-8tp

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Reasonable rates, new sedan. 'Phone residence, 340, or Campbell House, 95. 51a Wilfred Cuthill.

HOCKEY MEETING
On Thursday evening, December 18th at 7.00 o'clock p.m., there will be a meeting, in the Town Hall, of all young fellows who are interested in Juvenile hockey.

E. WATTS.

SALVATION ARMY ANNUAL CHRISTMAS CONCERT
The Christmas Tree and entertainment of the Salvation Army Sunday School, will be held (D.V.) on Friday evening, December 19th, 1930, at 8.00 p.m. o'clock. Admission 25 cents. 51a

ST. ANDREW'S S. S. CHRISTMAS ENTERTAINMENT
The Sunday School of St. Andrew's hold their Christmas concert on Monday evening, December 22nd. The children give a Christmas Cantata, "Not Guilty." Silver collection for Beaver Santa Claus Fund.

CHRISTMAS CONCERT
The annual Christmas Concert of Mount Pleasant School, Richmond, will be held on December 22nd, in the Richmond Town Church. Programme consists of choruses, dialogues, drills, a pageant for senior pupils, "Canadian Writers"; for junior pupils, "Who's Who?" and lantern slides, "A Trip Across Canada." Admission 15 cents. Doors open at 7.00 p.m.

THE FORUM
The Forum is still going strong. A big crowd met in Wonderland on Sunday. The singing of the men is a rare treat and a short, brief address adds to the interest of this pleasant hour. A good place to spend that lonesome hour on Sunday between the hours of 3 and 4 o'clock, in Wonderland. Every Sunday, good music, good singing, good talk. No collection.

PLOWMEN'S MEETING
The annual meeting of the Lennox and Addington Plowmen's Association was held in the office of the Agricultural Representative on Saturday, December 13th. The following officers were elected for 1931:—

Hon. Pres.—C. W. Hambly, M. P. P.
President— W. H. Hunter.
1st Vice—Pres.—T. D. Creighton.
2nd Vice-Pres. — H. Shannon.
Sec.-Treas — A. D. Runions.
Directors—W. Forsyth, George Sampson, Sam Miller, J. S. Johnson, Thos. Chalmers, Thos. Craven, J. B. Elliot, George Vankoughnet, Harold Grooms, William Vankoughnet.

The matter of conducting a Home Plowing Competition was discussed and met with the approval of all the members present, as they felt that this might help to stimulate greater interest in the match and serve as a means of securing new competitors.

It was also decided to hold the Plowing Match at an earlier date, possibly about October 10th.

The Association is in a fairly healthy condition, according to the Treasurer's Report, which showed a substantial balance.

Books for men, women, boys and girls, at Hooper's Drug Store.

LOCAL FIRM GETS AWARD

Belleville Creamery at Winter Fair

Belleville Creameries and Kingston Creameries were very successful in their exhibits of butter at the Royal Winter Fair, held in Toronto recently.

At this Fair, these two organizations won in prizes, two firsts, three seconds and four third prizes, in the different classes for exhibits and high class creamery butter. All this butter was made at some one of the creameries operated by either Belleville Creameries or Kingston Creameries.

Also, at this same Fair, Mr. Roy Jose of the Belleville Creameries, Belleville, won second prize in the butter scoring competition and Mr. Sydney Howe, of the Kingston Creameries, Sharbot Lake won third prize in the cream grading competition.

Those exhibiting at this Fair and three competing were very numerous. Entries of butter, in a large way, were there from all over the Dominion of Canada and it is very gratifying to know that Ontario made butter, can, and does, compete successfully with butters made in other parts of the Dominion.

Re X'mas Decorations

Following our usual custom at this season of the year, I beg to draw attention to the danger to life and property from Christmas decorations, such as Christmas trees, cotton to cover, present snow, etc. Displays of this nature, and the lighting arrangements in connection therewith, add very considerably to the ordinary risks of fire.

I would also point out that should an accident of the kind occur in a crowded store or meeting, the rapid spread of fire in such inflammable material is almost certain to occasion a panic with attendant risks to life and limb. A few simple precautions may reduce the danger to a minimum, and these should be considered essential where large numbers of people and particularly children are to be gathered.

See that inflammable material is clear of and not hung over heating and lighting devices, steampipes, stoves, electric light bulbs, etc.

See that your electric circuits are properly fused and not overloaded by the addition of temporary lights.

Examine your fire extinguishing appliances and see that they are sufficient, in good order, and readily accessible.

See that all exits are plainly marked and not obstructed.

Have all temporary decorations removed and safely disposed of as soon as they have served their purpose.

Remember that building can render these displays absolutely safe, and that if accidents are not to mar the festive season, every vigilance and care must be exercised.

FRED VANSLETTE,
Fire Chief.

Ladies' Hand Bags, Purses and Music Cases at Hooper's Drug Store.

FREE SHOTS ON *Local Sport*

The local hockey squad visited the Kingston Arena last Wednesday night and won from the "Red Indians" by a score of 3 to 2.

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It sure was a beautiful game and a finer athletic event never turned out from the little old town.

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The boys deserve all the support they can get, and then some.

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A large number of local rooters turned out and by the noise they made, sure made the favorites' fans look up.

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Right from the start of the game to the finish, Napanee kept the Indians on their own side of the fence.

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And when they did get through which was seldom, they had a hard time getting by the locals' stalwart defence.

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The locals now stand in second place with only a point between them and first place. It looks good.

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They meet C. I. C. (Canadian Locomotives) on Wednesday, December 17, and they have to win this one to stay on the top.

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The fans say that they will if they play the same brand of hockey as they did in the last game. Let's hope so.

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The finals will start on December 22, with the second and third teams playing off, the winners of these games to play the league leaders in home and home games, goals to count.

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The local arena is almost ready to open up and then the fans who find it impossible to travel can see the local squad in action.

HOCKEY

LOCALS IN SECOND PLACE

Napanee Defeat Red Indians of Kingston By The Score of 3 to 2.

Last Wednesday night, December 10, the local hockey team defeated the "Red Indians" in a fast game by the score of 3-2, and put themselves into the first ring for the playoffs in the senior section. The Napanee team had a very large percentage of the play throughout the game and the Indians, except at odd splurges, were unable to cope with the back-checking of the Napanee team.

The visitors were all over the ice but back-checked like fiends and, as stated to that, Red Indians were continually over-skating the puck and several times good passes in front of the goal were gummed up. There was no question as to the better team on the night's play, although in the last few minutes, Red Indians staged a rally that had Napanee backed up. The effort, however(came too late.

Two Red Indians sat on the bench together for throwing their sticks to save a goal. One did the trick right after another had been penalized for the same offence and the result was that Red Indians had to play short-handed.

There was no score in the first period of the game and in the second frame Naphin landed the first counted for Napanee and Wilson netted the second one. In the third period, with the score 2-0 against them, Red Indians put up a harder battle than they had shown but the play was carried repeatedly to the net. Red Indians took on new life and McQuaid and Smith each landed a goal. Indians fought hard to tie the game but the final bell sounded before they could do it.

The teams lined up as follows:—

Napanee		Red Indians
	Goal	
Hayes		Lawlor
	Defence	
Bentley		Stanton
Waite		Smith
	Centre	
Detlor		Dougall
	Wings	
Naphin		Dunphy
Wilson		Aiken
	Subs	
Johnston		Simpson
Kirby		McQuaid
Miller		Cruse
J. Bentley		Corrigan

Referee—Clair Devlin.

THE LEAGUE STANDING

As a result of Dark Horses' victory over Bombers last night, the former went into first position in the league race, while Napanee went into second place as a result of their win over the Red Indians.

The standing to date is as follows:—

	W	L	T	Pts
Dark Horses	3	1	0	6
Napanee	2	1	1	5
Red Indians	1	1	2	4
C. I. C.	2	1	0	4
Bombers	0	2	2	2
West-End	0	3	1	1

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Fine Wool Mitts, 25c. and 50c.
Angora Mitts, $1.00 pair.
Pure Wool Bonnets, with Pink and Blue Silk edging, 50c. and 75c. each.
Pure Angora Bonnets, $1.98 each.
Fine Lawn Dresses, all nicely lace trimmed, 98c. to $1.50.
Pink and Blue Elderdown Kimonas, so cozy and serviceable, $1.00 each.
Fine Crocheted Jackets, in White, with Blue and Pink trimming, 75c. ea.
Heavier Knit Jackets, with fancy trim, 98c. and $1.19.

FOR THE SMALL GIRLS
Pure Wool Gloves, with fancy cuffs, 39c. pair.
Beads in a dozen varieties to choose from, 15c.
Purses in new and fancy designs, with chain for leather handles, 15c. and 25c.
Handkerchiefs of every kind and color, 5c., 10c., 15c.
Boxes of Stationery, with small and large sheets and envelopes, 25c. and 35c.
Mama Dolls, fully dressed, 26 inches long, 75c. each.
New Elderdown Kimonas, satin trimmed and satin cords, $1.49 and $1.98.
Fine Silk Bloomers, in all fancy colors; sizes 2 to 10 years, 35c. each.
Picture Books and Story Books, 5c. to 29c.

FOR THE SMALL BOYS
Leather Mitts, all fully lined, 35c. pr.
Leather Gloves, with red star Cape cuffs, 75c. pair.
New designs in Boys' Ties, 49c.
Alger and Boy Scout Books, 29c. ea.
Boys' Handkerchiefs, with shadowgrams, stripes, etc., 5c., 10c. and 15c.
Toy Aeroplanes that will sail through the air, 65c.
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Boxes of Paper and Envelopes, in new and fancy designs, 25c., 35c., 50c. and 75c.
Bottles of Perfume, in all fancy padded boxes, 25c. each.
Fine Linen Towels, in three size effect colorings; also natural Linen with fancy cut work and solid embroidery, 75c. each.
Lovely new Kimonas, of heavy eiderdown with bright satin trimmings and silk cords, small, medium and large sizes, $2.95 each.
Silk Vests and Bloomer sets, beautifully embroidered and neatly placed in a Gift Box, $1.25 set.
Table and Dresser Runners, in Pique, Silk Tapestry, etc., in various designs, 50c. to $2.00.

FOR MOTHER
New Pictures, with Gilt frames as mats, in small and large sizes, 98c. to $1.50.
Many pieces of Brass, in Bowls, Pin Dishes, Book Ends, Boxes, etc., 98c. to $2.00.
Fine Silk Hose, full fashioned, in 8½ to 10½, in all wanted shades, $1.49 and $1.98.
French Kid Gloves, with fancy cuffs and stitching, in light and dark shades, $1.95 pair.
Heavier weight Kid Gloves, fully lined, in shades of brown, $1.98 pair.
Heavy Chintz Comforters, with narrow and wide satin bandings, full size, $5.00 each.

FOR FATHER
Fine Linen Handkerchiefs, with hemstitching, 19c to 50c.
New Plaid Silk Squares, in a dozen patterns, 98c. each.
Men's Ties, in smart Christmas boxes, 49c., 69c. and $1.00.
New Fancy Sox, in Silk and Wool, light and dark shades, 49c. pair.
Fast color Pyjamas, in good vest Flannelette; small, medium and large sizes, $1.39 suit.
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Warmest Christmas Greetings and Sincere Good Wishes for a Happy and Prosperous New Year

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NOMINATING MEETING

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the Electors of the Town of Napanee, will be held in the Town Hall, Napanee, on

MONDAY, DECEMBER 29th, 1930,

between the hours of 7.30 and 8.30 in the evening.

For the purpose of nominating candidates for Mayor, Reeve and six Councillors, to represent the Town of Napanee in the Town Council for the year 1931.

Also for the purpose of nominating three Members for the Board of Education for 1931.

Also nomination of one Member of the Utilities Commission.

If a greater number of candidates are nominated than are required to be elected, a Poll will be opened at the undermentioned Polling Sub-divisions within the Town of Napanee, on Monday, the Fifth day of January, A.D. 1931, the polls to continue open from nine o'clock in the morning until five o'clock in the afternoon, and no longer.

Polling Sub-divisions:

Centre Ward, No. 1, at Town Hall. J. M. Graham, D.R.O.; Walter Metcalfe, Poll Clerk.

Centre Ward, No. 2, residence of W. H. Grieve. E. J. Walters, D.R.O.; Richard Mitchell, Poll Clerk.

West Ward, No. 1, at Frank Kinkley's residence, Shannon Corners. D.R.O.; Fred Thompson, Poll Clerk.

West Ward, No. 2, at Public Library, R. Bath, D.R.O.; W. T. Shaver, Poll Clerk.

East Ward, at Geo. Switzer's Store. R. Wale, D.R.O.; Goldie Smith, Poll Clerk.

W. A. GRANGE,
Returning Officer.

Dated at Napanee, December 16th, 1930. 51b

Properties For Sale

Frame House, Store and Stock on general line, in good village. A real opportunity and a grand opportunity for live wire. Investigate this at once.

For Rent— 8-Roomed house, furnace, all conveniences, large garden and garage. $25.00 month. Possession at once.

Store and Service Station, near Kingston, in good general stock, 2 gas tanks and 4 cabins, welgh scales. Good money making stand. Can be bought right.

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For Sale— Frame cottage, 3 acres of land, a number of apple trees and two good outbuildings.

80 Acres— Near Ernestown Station good house and buildings, abundance of good water, exchange on 150 acres or more. Good stock farm.

24 Acres— 2nd Concession Ernestown, good house and outbuildings, to be sacrificed on easy terms.

76 Acres— 2 Miles from Odessa, 8-roomed frame house, barn and implement shed, all with steel roofs. Good hardwood bush.

100 Acres— 13 Miles from Napanee, splendid for canning factory products. Would consider exchange for 8 to 10 acres near Napanee.

110 Acres—Near Switzerville, 50 acres good pasture and bush, balance work land. Can be bought very cheap.

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SELBY

Everyone is busy preparing for Christmas.—The light fall of snow has improved the appearance of our scenery, and made it more Christmas like.—The Selby Dramatic Club gave their play, "The Winning of Joy," on Thursday evening. It was a good attendance. Those who were not present certainly missed a treat.—Much credit is due our school teacher, Miss May Wilde, for the interest she is taking in the children and the way she had them trained for the school concert, which was held in the schoolroom of the church on Friday evening. The splendid program was much appreciated by all who attended.—Mrs. T. Burkett, of Manitoba, is visiting her brother, Mr. Manley Devitt.—Mr. Okel Parks, Palace Road, has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. Stanley Sexsmith.—Mr. Orval Pringle, of Orillia, was a recent visitor at his uncle's, Mr. Mark Pringle.—We are glad to report that Mrs. Herb Windover is home from the hospital. We hope she will continue to improve in health.—Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Price and little son, Donald, and Mr. Carman Hudgins, of Kitchener, are spending the Christmas holidays at Mr. John C. Hudgins'.—Mr. and Mrs. Percy Gerow and daughters, of Newburgh, spent last Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Weese.—Mr. George McParlane, of Kingston, spent Sunday at Mrs. M. Bradshaw's.—Mr. Tom Topping and Miss Jean Alexander, of Marysville, called on Miss Ann Dodge on Sunday evening.—Mr. and Mrs. David Brown, Napanee, were recent visitors at Mr. H. Wagner's.—Mrs. L. Varnes, United States, is visiting her brother, Mr. Leopold Carscallen.—Mrs. Bruce Jaynes spent Thursday at John McParlane's, Sr.—Mr. Douglas Marlin, of Tamworth High School, is spending the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Marlin.—Mrs. Walter Dodge is spending some time with her mother, Mrs. Calvin Arnold, at Roblin.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Persons having claims against the estate of Mary Ann McQuaibin, late of the Township of Sheffield, in the County of Lennox and Addington, farmer, deceased, are required to send particulars and proofs thereof to the undersigned solicitor for the estate before the 17th day of January, A.D. 1931, after which date the assets will be distributed to the parties entitled thereto, pursuant to the provisions of section 51 of Chapter 150 R.S.O. 1927.

Herrington, Warner & Grange,
Solicitor for said Estate.
51d

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Persons having claims against the estate of Hayis Reuben Dickson, late of the Township of Camden, in the County of Lennox and Addington, Station Agent, deceased, are required to send their claims to the undersigned solicitor for said estate before the 17th day of January, A.D. 1931, after which date the assets will be distributed to the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice shall have been given as required by section 51 of Chapter 150 R.S.O. 1927.

Herrington, Warner & Grange,
Solicitor for said Estate.
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NOTICE.

To whom_it may concern:

All indigent persons, of Township of South Fredericksburgh, requiring medical aid, must apply to H. S. Northmore, M.D., Medical Health Officer, for said Township, otherwise the Township will not be responsible.

Also any person applying for relief under Old Age Pension Act, shall apply through the Hall Clerk.

GEORGE T. HALL, Clerk,
Township South Fredericksburgh.
By order of the Council. 52b

BOARD OF AUDIT

for the County of Lennox and Addington will meet for the purpose of auditing the Public Accounts of the County, at the

JUDGE'S CHAMBERS, IN THE COURT HOUSE

in the Town of Napanee on

THURSDAY, JANUARY 8th, 1931

at the hour of 10 o'clock a.m.

No accounts will be considered by the Board unless filed with the undersigned on or before January 3rd, 1931.

U. M. WILSON,
Clerk of the Peace.
39b

BAY CIRCUIT

Everyone is enjoying the delightful Christmas weather. — The Bay East Women's Missionary Society held their last activity for the season at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Parks, Anderson, on Tuesday evening last. There was a large attendance, splendid programme, and the offering of the evening assisted the group in reaching up towards its allocation.—The services on the circuit on Sunday were conducted by three of the neighboring ministers. Rev. E. Pawson was at Hay Bay, Rev. W. P. Woodger was at Bethany, and Rev. G. C. R. McQuade was at Anderson. During the duration of the parsonage quarantine services will be supplied in this way. This coming Sunday, December 28th, Rev. H. Mellow, of Manilla, will preach at Sand Hill at 10.30 a.m., Hay Bay at 2.30 p.m., and Gretna at 7.30 p.m.—Mrs. Alan Baldwin and baby son returned from Kingston Hospital to their home at Anderson on Wednesday last.—The first of the series of Christmas entertainments was held at Hay Bay on Wednesday evening, December 17th. The attendance was large and the programme was very interesting and helpful. Mr. Peter Huyck acted as chairman in his usual good manner. A great deal of credit is due our teachers, Miss Wilson and Miss Dixon, for their kindness in preparing such a fine programme. — Remember the next meeting of the Anderson Young Peoples' Union will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Bowen on Tuesday, December 30th, at 8 p.m.—The children of the parsonage are slowly recovering from their very severe attack of scarlet fever. The baby had to be taken to Kingston Hospital, and the reports are that she is improving a little.—Bethany Church was the centre for the presentation of a very fine Christmas entertainment on Thursday evening. In her usual successful way Miss Park, our community school teacher, prepared and presented a very helpful programme. Mr. W. H. Goodman, Superintendent of the Sunday School, acted as chairman. The large crowd in attendance enjoyed every part of the programme. — Our school teachers are spending their Christmas holidays at their several homes. Our teachers are hard worked folk, and they deserve the Christmas recess.—The last of the series of Christmas entertainments was held at Sand Hill on Friday night. Mr. Fred Moore acted as chairman and under the direction one of the finest Christmas entertainments ever given in Sand Hill Church was presented. Miss Keyes, our school teacher, is to be congratulated on the success of this happy occasion. The attendance was large and everyone seemed to have a good time.—Everyone is sorry to learn that Mrs. Fred Spencer is very ill again. She is at present at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Spencer, Napanee. —Your correspondent hopes that Santa Claus will visit every home on this circuit on Wednesday evening. Surely when he can visit a home in quarantine he ought to go anywhere and everywhere.—Merry Christmas, everybody.

KINGSFORD

Miss Hazell Martin, teacher, entertained the school children to a Christmas tree Friday afternoon.—We are enjoying lovely weather for the Christmas season.—Miss J. McCulloch has returned home after visiting at Enterprise.—Mr. and Mrs. Kelly, of Hunter, visited Mr. W. T. and S. G. Winters for a time, and has returned home.—Friends of Mr. Ross McCrae are sorry to hear of his illness and hope for a quick recovery.—Mr. and Mrs. R. Tucker are rejoicing over the birth of a daughter.—Mr. and Mrs. Dowdell spent Sunday recently visiting Mr. H. Rusher and Thomasburg.—Mr. and Mrs. W. Prisken, Selby, visited at S. Winter's, Sunday last. — Mrs. R. Sampson is spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Gordon Anderson, Belleville. — Miss Wilma Marshall is home again.—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brennan are rejoicing over the birth of a daughter.—Mr. Arthur Dowdell is home to stay for a while.

EMPEY HILL

The many friends of Mr. Andrew Penny are pleased to know that he has returned from the Kingston General Hospital, much improved in health.—Mrs. Dickson, of England, is visiting her nephew, Mr. Bob Appleby at Mr. Milton Dodge's.—The Christmas Tree on Friday night was well attended. The children gave a fine programme under the management of Miss Alice Armstrong.—Mr. and Mrs. Homer Demille and Mr. and Mrs. Sherry Demille were recent visitors at Mr. Edward Price's. —Miss Bessie Ashley and Mr. and Mrs. L. Wiltse, of Belleville, spent Sunday at Mr. O. E. Ashley's.—Master Regy Tucker had his tonsils removed in Kingston General Hospital and is improving nicely. — Mr. and Mrs. R. Townsend spent Sunday at Mr. Andrew Penny's.

REIDVILLE

With the approach of the festive season, the home wife is very busy.—The weather is all that could be desired at this time of year.—All those who attended the School Concert at Croydon, Friday evening, under the direction of Mrs. J. H. Wilson, were loud in their praise. The children all took their parts well and at the close, a presentation and address was made to the teacher from the scholars and the children, too, received gifts from the tree. The good spirit shown reflects on the popularity of our teacher, who has been with the school four years.

Double Check, but no Check. Son in College was applying pressure for more money from home.

"I cannot understand why you call yourself a kind father," he wrote his dad, "when you haven't sent me a cheque for three weeks. What kind of kindness do you call that?"

"That's unremitting kindness," wrote the father in his next letter.—Capper's Weekly.

To-Morrow Will Be Christmas

To - morrow will be Christmas, the day forever hallowed in Christian countries as the birthday of the Prince of Peace. All over the world, wherever Christians gather, gifts will be given, and received; families will be re - united; messages of love and cheer will wing their way across trackless seas and vast spaces from those unable to get home for the holiday. And the story of the manger will be retold in countless Schools and Churches, the story of peace on earth to men and good will.

Never, since the darkest days of the Great War, have the Nations faced such a winter as this. The artificial boom of the last decade has burst. Once more men go hungry, once more men are facing realities, once more men are thinking of other things than getting rich quickly. Deep calleth unto deep, and gets a response. The hearts of the people have been opened; the flood gates of generous sharing are loosened. The unselfish impulse again asserts itself. The universal need brings magnificant responses. Individuals, organizations, institutions, churches and governments, all hasten to alleviate the distress. The Beaver has long had in its Little Bit. It has made its annual appeal, and never has the response been more spontaneous and whole - hearted. To all who helped in any way, we add our own gratitude to that of a host of children made happy by your assistance.

To all our readers, whose support and kindness we cherish, we extend the sincerest of Christmas Greetings, and hopes for a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

ODESSA

Mr. Charles Davison and Mr. E. C. Rice, Kingston, were callers at W. E. Toplift's last Sunday.—Miss Ruby Babcock, Westbrook, was a Sunday guest of her aunt, Mrs. William Tolls.—Mr. Harry Davy motored down from Toronto and spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Davy. On his return he was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Davy, who contemplate spending Christmas and two winter months with him at his Toronto home. —Quit a number attended the shower given Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Peters at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd O'Neil last Friday night. Among the lovely gifts was a silver tea service from the third class of the Continuation School, from her classmates.—Last Wednesday night over sixty relatives and friends met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Lake, and Mr. and Mrs. Charley Lake, to present the latter with a variety shower. There were many beautiful and useful gifts and a very pleasant time was spent with music, games and dancing. The music was furnished by Mr. Joseph Lawlor and Mr. Floyd Hodge. — Very delicious refreshments were served at the midnight hour and all wished the bride and groom many years of perfect happiness and prosperity. — Tastefully dressed windows, carrying the Christmas spirit, reflect much credit to the merchants, and their Christmas goods are very artistically arranged. — The many friends of Mrs. D. Babcock, were sorry to see her pass away last Sunday, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. John Lemmon, Morven, with whom she had lived since she resigned her position as Librarian. Her husband pre-deceased her seventeen years ago. The funeral was held from her late home, Tuesday afternoon, Rev. R. W. Street, of Morven, officiating. Interment took place in the family plot in Wilton cemetery. The deceased was one of a family of much interest was solemnized by Rev. George McQuade at Hawley, New Years Day, when Miss Lorena Ireland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Parks, became the bride of Mr. Herschel Ireland. Their many friends wish them many years of health and happiness. —The Newly-Wed Reception meeting was held in the Sunday School room of the United Church, Wednesday afternoon, with a good attendance. The following officers were elected for the coming year: President, Mrs. J. Sidney Ireland; 1st Vice-President, Mrs. W. C. Jenkins; 2nd Vice-President, Miss Lillian Aylesworth; 3rd Vice-President, Mrs. William Tolls.—Mrs. W. C. Jenkins left Friday to spend a day with her sister, Mrs. J. G. Ettinger and Mr. Ettinger, Kingston, previous to leaving, on Saturday, to spend Christmas and New Years with her niece, Mrs. (Dr.) Logan and Dr. Logan, of London, Ont.

The Beaver Santa Claus Fund

The Beaver has the satisfaction of informing the public that the response this year, to its earnest appeal for funds, has been most generous and whole hearted. We have collected and distributed more than ever before. Over at the Town Hall, this week, might be seen a score of women, filling bags, making packages and preparing gifts which had been carefully selected for each family and child. So far as it is humanly possible to ascertain, no child in the town will go without a Christmas stocking. In it, besides the toys and candies, is a gift of clothing, warm woollies, and sensible wearables for each child. In addition, every family that is needy has been sent the provisions for a Christmas dinner.

We take this opportunity to thank, most heartily, all those who have helped us, the men, women and children who have contributed money, and the noble band of women who, under the efficient and capable leadership of Miss Leamy, have spent so much of their valuable time to give happiness to others. This year, we have been materially helped by Mr. Will Barrett, the Children's Aid Secretary, whose knowledge of conditions and families has been invaluable.

Again we thank you!

Received Since Last Week

One Interested	$ 3.00
Mrs. J. H. Moffat	5.00
A Friend	3.00
Primary Department, Switzerville Sunday School	1.00
A Friend	1.00
Denison Bros.	2.00
J. Hambly	2.00
A Friend ..... Baby Jacket	
Mrs. J. Asselstine	1.00
A Friend	1.00
A Friend ..... Boy's Scooter	
Benefit Dance	53.55
Andrew A. Fraser	10.00
A. & P. Stores — dozen packages Cream of Barley and 144 All - Day Suckers.	
Mrs. T. Symington	5.00
A Friend	1.00
C. W. Hambly	5.00
Mrs. Bruce Russell ..... Lady's Coat	
Miss Mabel Russell	1.00
Mrs. J. L. Boyes	1.00
Miss Etta Harrison	1.00
Mrs. Will Joyce, Scarf and Mittens	
Mrs. Doxsee, 3 Caps, 6 Pairs Stockings.	
Mrs. D. R. Hall, Toys and Dolls	
Marion Allison..... Toys and Dolls	
Belrite Stores, 25 lbs. Mixed Nuts	
Newman	5.00
Trinity Y. P. S.	2.00
Harry Stone — Bushel of Onions	
R. H. Benn, R. M. D. No. 6, Napanee — 1 bag of Turnips and 50 heads of Cabbage.	
Mrs. Doxsee	2.00
William Grieves	3.00
John G. Daly	5.00
West Ward School	10.00
Jack A.	1.00
L. & A. Poultry Association	1.00
L. L. Price ..... Bag of Potatoes	
Wellington Brown	1.00
Miss Hazel's Class — Toys and Books	
Harold Dennison	1.00
St. Andrew's Sunday School	15.30
Mrs. J. G. Loucks, Pair of rubbers and Pair of Mittens.	
Marjorie and Scott Norsworthy	1.00
Miss Jean Anderson	1.00
M. D.	1.00
A Gift	2.00

NEWBURGH

The United Church Sunday School held their Christmas concert on Friday evening, December 19th, in the Sunday School room. The programme was given by the children, consisting of choruses, dialogues, recitations and pantomimes, which were excellently rendered. A vote of thanks and appreciation was given to the Public School teachers, Misses McNeely and Nugent, who trained them. After the concert, gifts from the Christmas tree were presented to pupils and from the pupils to the teachers, each child receiving a bag of candies, etc.

Miss Margaret Mitchell, Principal of Stella High School, is home for the holidays.

Miss Marie Ramsay is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. W. M. Bruce, Kingston.

Miss Mabel McNeely, Principal of the Public School, is spending her holidays at her home in Kingston.

Mrs. Wesley McGill, Centreville, is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. E. W. Lochhead, for a few days.

Miss Essie Johnston, of Ottawa, is spending the holidays with her mother, Mrs. J. Johnston.

Miss C. McSherry has gone to Windsor for her holidays.

Mrs. William McGill, of Centreville, is at her daughter's, Mrs. Fred Milligan.

Mrs. B. Switzer and Eward, Switzerville, at Mrs. M. Hill's, on Sunday.

The Young People held their League service on Tuesday evening, December 16th, the President, Miss Glenn, presiding. After the opening exercise business meeting was held, arranging for the White Gift service on Sunday evening, December 21st. Programme, "The Industrial and Rural Mission in Japan," given by Miss E. Gilmore; recitation, Andrew Wilson; pantomime, "O Little Town of Bethlehem," by Mrs. William Embury and Ernest Morgan, collection, closing.

Miss Eleanor Milligan has returned home from Peterborough Normal School for the holidays.

Miss Queenie Paul is home from Toronto for a few days.

Mr. J. Cook is spending the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Cook.

Miss Joy Paul is home for the holidays.

On Sunday evening, in the United Church, the service was "The Gifts of the King," were presented during the service. There was a generous response and the packages were beautifully wrapped in white. Four girls of the Y. P. L. received the offerings, Gwen. Fluke, Helen Wartman, Elsie Uens and Kathleen Pero. The baskets were white decorated with tinsel and red. The altar was decorated with white streamers and evergreen, while directly in the pulpit above a large star, shedding its lustre as the Bethlehem Star, over the gifts laid upon the altar and dedicated to the service of the Christ King. Special music by the choir and a selection by Master Ernest Morgan, added much to the inspiration of the service. The Pastor, Rev. Andrew Johnston, preached a strong sermon from the text: "There was no room in the Inn," making a direct appeal for acceptance of Jesus Christ in the individual life.

MARLBANK

The young people of the village are busy practising for the annual Sunday School Christmas entertainment, to be held on Christmas night.—The several stores of our town have put on their Yuletide dress and are doing a rushing business, in spite of the general depression so common this season.

C. R. Counter and I. G. Burrows have installed new radios in their homes. The latter recently moved his place of residence to what has been known as the Ben Badgley property.—Miss Ruth York, R. N., Lindsay, is spending the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. York.

Jessie Prue and family have returned from Niagara Falls, N.Y., and will spend the winter with her father, Thos. Robinson.—Miss Bessie Allen made a hurried trip to Tweed on Friday last.

—Miss Jean and Mr. Jack Anderson, of the Collegiate Institute, Napanee, are enjoying their holidays at their home here.—Miss Amey and Mrs. A. D. Allen are on the sick list. — Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mills spent Sunday at Melville Dale.—Mrs. Sanford and children, Don Allen, Flint, Mich., are spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Allen. — Mr. and Mrs. Frank McLaughlin and two boys, of Ingle, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Asselstine and baby, Douglas, of Roblin, and Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Asselstine, spent Wednesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Asselstine.—The Hydro men are working in our village at present on the street lights, and inform us they will have the streets lighted by Christmas.

Prof. J. O. Watts at the Forum on Sunday afternoon.

MORVEN

The Christmas service on Sunday evening was well attended. All listened with interest to the splendid rendering of VanDyke's "Other Wise Man," by Rev. R. R. Street. The choir sang appropriate music. — Mr. Frank Clark spent Sunday with friends at Bloomfield.—Miss Sanford Avey called on her mother, Mrs. Brown, on Sunday.—Much sympathy is felt for Miss Sadie Shorey, Napanee, whose mother passed away on Friday. — A goodly number were on to the school concert on Friday evening to encourage the children in their efforts at entertaining. A well loaded Christmas tree greeted the children and much merriment took place during the distribution of the presents. — Mr. Charles Gausden spent Sunday at Mr. G. Pretts'.—Mrs. Bailey Hamm has returned from a four weeks' visit with her son at Ottawa.—Miss Hazel Cummings is in the Kingston Hospital, recovering from an appendicitis operation. — We wish Dr. Beaver and its Staff a very Merry Christmas.

ONTARIO ARCHIVES
TORONTO

News Of Women's Organizations

NAPANEE BRANCH W. I.

The Napanee Branch of the Women's Institute met in the Agricultural Rooms on Tuesday, December 16th, with Mrs. V. Anderson, president, presiding. The roll call gave the members many new ideas for home-making. The usual business of the meeting was read and approved.

A letter of appreciation for the donation sent the Navy League, was received, and there were many donations to the Santa Claus Gift Funds, asked for recently.

Mrs. Gehan, delegate to the Kingston Convention, presented her report, which was very concise and interesting and much advancement in the work of the Institute has been made in the past year. Mrs. Fellows read the report. Mrs. Exley demonstrated the art of making an Afghan, and those present realized what could be done with old yarn and a needle. Mrs. Baughan was awarded the prize for the best doughnuts, although the judges had much difficulty in deciding this matter, all entered being so delicious.

Mrs. Shore Loynes gave her report on "Education" which proved very interesting. A report from Mrs. Loynes is always a special treat for the members.

The song "Institute Aid," was given, and the creed was repeated in unison, and with the singing of the National Anthem, another very helpful meeting of the Institute was closed.

STRATHCONA W. M. S.

The December meeting of the W. M. S. was held at the home of Mrs. Geo. Finlay, on the evening of December 11th. Owing to the very icy weather, there was a small attendance, but the reports presented were very interesting.

The meeting opened with the President, Mrs. James Wilson, in the chair. "Hark the Herald Angels Sing," was the opening hymn, followed by the Lord's Prayer in unison. A very fine devotional bible reading was led by Mrs. Luther, interspersed with the hymn, "O Little Town of Bethlehem," a season of prayer followed.

The roll call was answered by six members responding with a Christmas text. Reports were then read from the Stranger's Secretary, Mrs. George Finlay, and the Treasurer gave her financial report. The Circle Presidept wished to mention sending $127 to the branch treasurer; the Band, 25 members with an offering of $30.75; the W. M. S. have contributed $186.26, making a total of $338.01. We are very thankful for such a successful year in our work, and any sacrifice giving that was made will bring joy to the heart of the giver. "It is more blessed to give than to receive."

The following is the list of officers for the year 1931:—

President—Mrs. Frank Luther.
Vice-President — Mrs. E. Rook.
Rec.-Secretary—Mrs. T. Tompkins.
Cor.-Secretary—Mrs. Geo. Finlay.
Treasurer—Mrs. James Wilson.

Mrs. James Wilson was appointed delegate to the Presbyterial in Picton in January.

The Mission Circle, assisted by the Mission Band, are preparing a Christmas music and exercises for the service to be held on Tuesday evening, December 23rd in the Church. Everyone welcome. Come and sing Christmas carols with us. A free will offering will be taken.

Merry Christmas to one and all.

CONWAY WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

The December meeting of Conway Women's Institute was held on Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. T. Gurren, with a goodly number in attendance. The meeting was opened by the President in the usual order, followed by the reading and minutes of the last meeting. Roll call was answered by, "A book I enjoyed." Several letters of thanks and appreciation were received from those who had received fruit or flower bulbs, thus showing that the Institute are indeed doing community work.

Mrs. W. H. Pluppen and Miss VanDyck were a committee appointed to assist a family who had recently met with misfortune. It was decided to remember our new settlers at Christmas time. District fees were voted to be paid.

Everyone was pleased that Dr. Northmore was able to be present and all listened with much interest, to his talk on goitre, stressing the good to be derived from the use of iodized salt in the prevention of goitre. Mrs. M. Mellow's reading, "Christmas 1793 at the White House on the Bay of Quinte," carried us back a few years to the celebration of Christmas at the old homestead of the Fairfields. It was very interesting and, truly, times have changed. Mrs. H. Pluppen read a paper on "Canadian Handicrafts" prepared by Miss Magee, which brought out, very clearly, the great wealth of our fair Dominion.

The meeting closed with the National Anthem, after which a sale of goods, donated by the members, took place and then lunch was served by the committee in charge.

WHITE POPULAR FOR LICENSE PLATES

White is the favorite color for the new 1931 auto markers in Canada this year. Six out of the nine provinces are using it, while Ontario and British Columbia are the only provinces to adopt black figures on their license plates. New Brunswick has plates with red letters on a dark blue background; Manitoba is using white figures on a green background; Saskatchewan, white against a purple background; and Alberta, white against a light blue background. Quebec and Prince Edward Island have a certain similarity in their markers, both having dark blue white letters and figures on a maroon background. Nova Scotia reverses this year's color scheme of Ontario and has white letters and figures on a black background.

CUTTING NICOTINE

A method of growing tobacco so that it is almost entirely free of nicotine has been developed by the Porchhein Tobacco Research Institute in Baden, Germany. The result is obtained by growing the plants close together and regulating the watering. The product differs from tobacco from which the nicotine has been removed with chemical in that it retains the natural taste and aroma.

MYSTERIOUS DUCHESS

WOMAN LIVES ALONE ON SMALL B. C. ISLAND.

Twenty-Three Years Ago She Took Up Her Abode on Island—Agent Sends Her Supplies by Indians—Speaks of Past.

On a tiny mound of land standed by the hurrying currents of the Strait of Georgia, off the easterly shore of Vancouver Island, lives the "Mysterious Duchess" of the North Pacific. She is the only human being on the island.

To the simple fisher folk of the islands she is known only as Mrs. H. R. Morgan, writes Keenie Elliot in the Toronto Star Weekly. To some others she is the one-time tutor in the household of a former Lieutenant-Governor of British Columbia. Some have traced her lineage to the nobility, only to lose its slender thread as it appeared to be leading toward the palaces of royalty. None ever have pierced the veil of mystery which surrounds her past, blotting out the incidents of her life as obscurely as the chill sea fogs which shroud her small domain.

Self-exiled to tiny Hall Island, she waits with stately complacency the coming of that grim visitor, death, to put the final seal of secrecy on her history. In her quaint little cedar house is the coffin which has stood there these many years in preparation for the event; in the yard an open grave, dug by this strange woman, and beside it a rugged stone on whose rough surface are none but the inexplicable tracings of nature.

Who is this "Mystery Duchess?" Is she the outcast daughter of some noble family? One who perhaps, in marrying a commoner forsook court life to follow the harsher trail that love made for her? A Prussian woman of high estate?

Twenty-three years ago a woman appeared at the lighthouse on the north end of Galiano Island. Keeper Allison sped in the rowboat to the distance as it made its way, slowly through the tide-swept waters of Porlier Pass. As it neared the shore, his hurried down to greet the visitor and found himself confronting a tall, beautiful woman. Her carriage, her natural grace, the soft inflections of her musical voice told him at once that she was a person of refinement and education.

She wanted an island, so she told the amazed lighthouse-keeper; an island that was uninhabited, that no one owned and no one desired. She wished to make her home there. For a moment Allison demurred; there something in the eyes, some deep light of tragedy and sorrow beyond human probing halted him. He, too, had known the lonely vigils of the light on Galiano and at the pointed across the water to Hall Island.

The years have passed since that day have sprinkled her hair with white and added lines to the beautiful face. But the grandeur of other days is still in her walk and her voice.

Her little domain she has renamed Echo Island.

"It is filled with echoes," she says simply. The whistle of ocean steamers, the sounds of motor boats, the shouts of fishermen. They are the voices of my island."

To Hall Island she seems appropriate but for another reason. The quaint house, the garden, the tea set, even the name of the island, have a mystery of another generation; the old world in a glass in day of cavity.

Of the present she will talk almost gladly. She dismisses thoughts of her preparations for death with a rich contralto laugh.

"I have much to occupy my time," she says. "There is my house to look after and my garden to care for. Then I have my books and my sewing. I am not lonely."

Of the past, no word passes her lips. To all inquiries of the other life she has known she has one answer; "Here is the address of my agents. Perhaps they will tell you. I cannot discuss it. I have been Mrs. Morgan for forty years. It is enough."

The Englishmen who look after her affairs says they know nothing.

It is known that after an education which included the University of Brussels and a music academy in Paris she married a Welshman named Morgan and moved to England. Here they lived and prospered. Then he drops from the picture and when she turned again it is pictured as living in an instructor in languages in the family of a former lieutenant-governor of British Columbia. Another she becomes a tutor to other English families in Victoria. Always the mist of secrecy surround her and not all she is seen landing on Galiano Island on her way to her self-chosen exile.

Of her island "castle" the "Mystery Duchess" is intensely proud. She is an immaculate housekeeper and enjoys showing her treasures. The house is typically English, built by carpenters from the mainland the first year of her residence on the island. Most of that time she has lived in a tent without a stove and only the simplest furniture. The money came from somewhere. It was the first hint to the neighboring island folk that there was money. The house was built and furnished.

Two pictures hang side by side. One is of a boyish-looking man, the other of a little girl with a bright smile.

"My son and granddaughter," she explains, and a glint of tears comes to her eyes. "When I came to the island I sent him to college in Europe. I felt that he should go there. Now he is married. He is happy but he has not enough money to come to me and I am too old to make the trip to him. Then again, how could I leave my island?"

As the visitor prepares to leave he notes that a porch step has fallen to the ground. Laboriously she puts it in place.

"We will not last long," she says quietly, as she waves farewell to her company.

Used for Diving.

Helium is finding an important use in reducing the hazard of deep-sea diving and caisson work.

WORLD-WIDE CONTACT

There are over 32 million telephones in the world today. A large percentage of these are within reach of Canadian telephone users. Many times a day they place out-of-town calls. Long Distance telephoning has become a habit with thousands.

Has Been Fighting Since 1849 — One British Soldier to Each Thirty Acres of Territory.

There are 60,000 British troops in India, and 150,000 Indian troops, with 15,000 reservists, declares Sir John Campbell in the Atlantic Monthly. The force constitutes the sole military weapon on earth by which to defend an area of 1,805,000 square miles and a population of approximately 319 millions. To protect a vast continent against external aggression and internal disturbance.

There is one British soldier to each thirty square miles and territory, and to each group of 6,215 Indians.

It may assist in giving a more concrete idea of the position, if it is pointed out that the figures quoted above represent—assuming an even distribution—one unit of 1,000 British troops for each 300,000 square miles of territory, and one unit of 1,000 Indian troops for each 12,000 square miles.

In many cases, the district officer is hundreds of miles from the nearest troops, he may easily spend his whole service in India without meeting a British soldier, except when he visits a garrison town, probably well over 100 miles away, for official or social purposes.

We have often been told that "India is held by the sword"; the statistics given above lend no support to that dictum, and it is hotly denied by all who know the real facts of the situation.

ANCIENT GAZA.

Lady Petrie Is Planning Further Work in Palestine.

Lady Petrie, wife of Sir Flinders Petrie, who has already done a great deal of archaeological work in Palestine, is planning further work at Gaza. Work is to begin on a new mound, five miles from that city, and it is hoped that discoveries will be made dating backwards from 2,000 B.C.

The city of Gaza lies about three miles from the Mediterranean coast in the extreme southwest corner of Palestine. It was the most southerly of the five ancient cities of the Philistines, and was the scene of many battles between them and the Israelites. In 323 B.C. the city withstood a siege for five months before it was captured by Alexander the Great. In the thirteenth century it was conquered by the Moslems, and in 1799 it was taken by Napoleon. During March, 1917, a battle between the British and the Turks was fought there, which ended victoriously for the former. In November of the same year it was finally captured, by Lord Allenby.

The city is often mentioned in the Old Testament, and legend says Samson was buried in Gaza. His tomb is still pointed out to visitors. The present population is about 40,000, and black earthenware, found only in that district, is made there.

TRAIN SPEED RECORDS.

Speed of British Trains Far Higher Than Those of Other Nations.

British railway officials state, says an article in Answers, that the average speed of British trains is far higher than those of other countries. Britain holds the fastest lap record in the world, from Swindon to Paddington—over 77 miles in 70 minutes—which averages more than 66 miles an hour. The world's fastest express is also held by this railway, and was made on June 30, 1904, when the mails were taken from Plymouth to Paddington at an average speed of 71 miles an hour. At one point on this run the speed of 102 miles an hour was reached.

British trains are also more punctual than any others in the world. Statisticians show that of the 10,450 London Midland and Scottish trains running daily, 95 per cent. are punctual, or not more than five minutes late. Local trains are 95 per cent. in time. Expresses are seldom late. As much as 35 minutes are made up on a long run. Only four or floods delain them. The London Northeastern holds an A1 to its eastern section during May last run 66,206 trains, and 98 per cent. were not more than five minutes late.

SPEEDING TRAFFIC.

London Making Effort to Quicken Up Travel and Traffic.

Fifty new escalators are being installed in the underground railways of London. Many stations are being improved on the underground system, and a new extension is being made from Finsbury Park to Wood Green on the Piccadilly line. The new line will take the place of three moving staircases, while the others will be put into the improvements in the Central London area. Meanwhile lifts that are now working on some of the existing are to be reconstructed and brought up to date. The new escalators will contain improvements in the practice of moving stairways.

It is noticeable that in the last few years every effort has been made to quicken up travel and traffic in the big cities of the world. The moving staircase, which is being more and more widely used, is a good example of the means taken to effect this.

Not Too Old to Work.

Retired from the Supreme Court bench because of his age, Mr. Justice Pierre Basile Mignault has once more hung out his shingle.

"I may be too old for the Supreme Court, but I'm not too old to do work at my profession," he explained with a twinkle in his grey-blue eyes when called in his new realm.

"Why should I start loafing just because I'm 78? I'm not built that way. I'd rust out to kill time, time would kill me."

Lobster Fishery.

In 1929 the lobster fishery of the Atlantic coast was second among the fisheries of Canada in point of the market value of production. The salmon fisheries of British Columbia came first with a value of about $14,000,000; lobster production was valued at $5,700,000 and cod at $5,397,000.

Keeping Up With the Joneses: Little Ruth: "My big sister's got two doctors."

Little Leroy: "Huh, mine's got two lawyers."

"My big sister's gonna have an operation."

"Mine's gonna have a separation."

THE WORKERS' VARSITY

SUPPLYING LIBERAL EDUCATION TO MEN AND WOMEN.

Offers Worker a System of Education Which Will Arouse Interest, Discipline Mind and Develop Character.

Ways Make Life More Satisfying.

At the University of Toronto there is a group of students who are not proceeding to any degree, who neither write examinations nor write essays.

Their college is on St. George street, and if you pass it any week night during the winter months you will find the lights burning in the class rooms, and if you investigate further you will find the class rooms full of earnest seekers after knowledge listening intently and then questioning pertinaciously.

This fact of evening study alone is enough to make you realize that these are a very curious kind of college students, writes Robert Reade in the Toronto Star Weekly. The average rah rah boy or co-ed is not given to burn the midnight oil or midnight oil for study purposes until the May examinations cast a cold, terrifying shadow on their hitherto existence. These students are the sons and daughters of honest toil taking the courses in the Workers' Educational Association, the W.E.A., as it is commonly called.

Each on the enrolment card states his or her profession. Looking at the class list for the second term last year that a wide range of industrial trades was represented. There were printers, photo engravers, moulders, electricians, carpenters, garage mechanics, and street car operators.

These students could build a college with their own hands. In their ranks are stone masons and bricklayers, plumbers and steam-fitters, painters and paper-hangers, engineers and cabinet-makers. If it were a residential college they constructed, they have the material and knowledge to manage it. The enrolment contains bookmaids, parlor maids and "housewives" as well as stenographers.

It was interesting to note that the profession of housewife was sufficient unto itself as a vocation as a worker. But a bank teller who wished to attend the Workers' Varsity was, after due hesitation, placed on the list of scorers, refused. They could not believe that handling large amounts of money, or for large sums, was work.

It must not be thought that they are turning the university into a technical school, and that they go there to learn new tricks of their trade. If to seek pure knowledge for the sake of cultural reward be a superiority they can look down with condescension on the chemists and engineers, dentists and doctors who go to a university to learn a useful occupation. What they go after is not cash, but the enrichment of capital "C."

Mr. James Simpson adequately described this movement when he said: "It has been found necessary to offer to the worker a system of education which will arouse interest, discipline the mind, supply information, increase facility of expression, and by many ways make life more satisfying for that great army of men and women who have not the means to acquire university education, do not require that extensive and prolonging in their daily tasks, but do require those mental capacities to extract from life those compensations which are regarded as absolutely necessary in a well ordered community. That is the education offered by the Workers' Educational Association."

The real cause of the remarkable growth of the movement was the interest shown by the labor organizations. The Toronto District Labor Council gives us a grant and a dozen or more affiliated unions such as the Toronto Typographical Union, the photo engravers, the iron moulders, the bricklayers, the brotherhood of painters, railway carmen, carpenters and machinists pay the entrance fee for each of their members who take the course," remarks Mr. W. J. Dunlop who is at present the head of the department of University Extension. "When a union affiliates it has a representative on the board of management. I attend their meetings and find them very earnest fellows who know what they want and what their people want."

In Toronto, Hamilton and London, which have universities, the workers look to the university. Elsewhere the university goes to the worker. The university contribution to the cause is a small one. Despite that modest little which is employed to indicate the absence of all academic arrogance may be the most intelligent professor on the faculty. He may be an unsalaried authority in his own class room but here he is just a student amongst students. His reward is the opportunity of sharpening his own mind by contact with keen and alert fellow intellects. Prof. Michell, a famous political economist, and Mr. Master University, conducted one of the W.E.A. courses with great interest. "Gentlemen, I thank you for the education you have given me."

Our most popular course," said Mr. Dunlop, "is public speaking. It has become strictly practical. The results it produces are amazing. At the end of the course the class holds a banquet, at which every one must make a speech. You would never suspect that these finest orators were tongue-tied a few months ago, so loquacious."

But this Varsity the students call the tune. The tutor gives his public what they want.

Ne Yes Man.

"Evidently that young man you introduced me to today does not know who I am," said a wealthy man to his wife.

"What makes you think so?"

"He appreciated the absurdity of my financial influence, he would laugh at any joke instead of at my grammar."—Stray Stories.

"Many a Nickle Makes A Buckle"

The habit of thrift is easily learned and unlearned. To save small amounts for a definite purpose is one of the finest habits to acquire. So does not do the disregard of the small coin. It was the recognition of this which led to the phenomenal growth of the five and ten-cent stores. All of which observations arise from a perusal of the Government report on the penny banks in the schools of Ontario. The report just to hand shows that there are 647 Schools in Ontario which have the penny savings banks. And the amount in these banks is the vast sum of $1,981,382.31. In making his annual report, J. R. Littleproud, the inspector, has this to say:—

To the Teachers.—

It is interesting to note the trend of school savings under the stress of world-wide financial depression. A careful check covering a large number of schools indicates:

1. An increase of about 15% in the amount being withdrawn.

2. A decrease of about 15% in the amount being deposited.

3. The number of open accounts is a record to date.

4. The percentage of pupils making deposits is in many schools the highest on record. There were twenty-seven schools which had records of 80% or over for September and October.

From these observations two conclusions are evident:

1. School savings balances from an invaluable reserve fund to depend upon for winter clothing and other necessary expenditures during a time of emergency. The school children of Ontario have such a reserve fund amounting to $1,307,000.00.

2. Although adverse business conditions re-act upon children's incomes as surely as upon their parents' incomes, yet the habits already inculcated persist. Although the amount deposited decreases, the number of deposits increases. School savings is fulfilling its purpose; thrift habits are being formed and fixed for life.

The nation owes a deep debt of gratitude to that splendid body of principals and teachers, whose untiring devotion to the great problem of character building has included thrift education in its many useful activities.

Why not a penny savings bang in Napanee and surrounding schools?

CARBON DIOXIDE TO PRESERVE EGGS

Considerable interest attaches to experiments that have been made by the Poultry Division of the Dominion Department of Agriculture in the possibilities of keeping eggs fresh through the use of carbon dioxide. The theory of the experiment is that as eggs from the moment they are laid give off carbon-dioxide with resultant deterioration of albumen and yolk, that if this loss can be counteracted, eggs can be transported without any essential loss of quality. Some success has already been attached to the shipment of eggs in containers holding carbon-dioxide, and the range of shipment may be materially extended if the use of dry ice for the purpose can be successfully applied as it is claimed for it. Dry-ice instead of melting, evaporates and passes into carbon-dioxide gas, which, it proves all that is claimed for it. Dry-ice is cheaper than the present ice, and undrilled from the ice. Journals of Oxford and Cambridge to the thirteenth century, and cheap that no student of the lower grades and lower middle classes, but the ideal was a liberal, not a utilitarian, education.

Sir Arthur Currie, accompanied by Lady Currie left Montreal recently on the long journey to Delhi, where he will represent the Canadian Government at the opening of the new parliament buildings in the Indian capital. Sir Arthur urged Canadians to make a sympathetic study of what was now going on in India, events of greatest importance to the empire.

NOMINATION MEETINGS

NOTICE

A public meeting of the Electors of the Municipality of North Frederickshurgh, in the County of Lennox and Addington, will be held in the Town Hall, North Fredericksburgh, on Monday, December 29th, 1930, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of nominating a Reeve and four Councillors to represent the said Township for the year 1931.

In case more than the above candidates are nominated, then an Election will be held on Monday, January 5th, 1931, commencing at nine o'clock in the forenoon, and continuing until five o'clock in the afternoon.

Dated at Centreville, this 15th day of December, 1930.

51b LEONARD T. PARKS, Township Clerk.

NOTICE

A public meeting of the Electors of the Municipality of Ernestown, in the County of Lennox and Addington, will be held in the Town Hall, South Ernestown, on Monday, December 29th, 1930, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of nominating a Reeve and four Councillors to represent the said Township for the year 1931.

In case more than the above candidates are nominated, then an Election will be held on Monday, January 5th, 1931, commencing at nine o'clock in the forenoon, and continuing until five o'clock in the afternoon.

Dated at Centreville, this 15th day of December, 1930.

51b T. E. McGILL, Township Clerk.

NOTICE

A public meeting of the Electors of the Municipality of Bath, in the County of Lennox and Addington, will be held in the Town Hall, Bath, on Monday, December 29th, 1930, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of nominating a Reeve, Deputy Reeve, and three Councillors to represent the said Township for the year 1931.

In case more than the above candidates are nominated, then an Election will be held on Monday, January 5th, 1931, commencing at nine o'clock in the forenoon, and continuing until five o'clock in the afternoon.

Dated at Odessa, this 15th day of December, 1930.

51b GEO. T. HAM, Township Clerk.

NOTICE

A public meeting of the Electors of the Municipality of Newburgh, in the County of Lennox and Addington, will be held in the Town Hall, Newburgh, on Monday, December 29th, 1930, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of nominating a Reeve and four Councillors to represent the said Township for the year 1931.

In case more than the above candidates are nominated, then an Election will be held on Monday, January 5th, 1931, commencing at nine o'clock in the forenoon, and continuing until five o'clock in the afternoon.

Dated at Newburgh, this 15th day of December, 1930.

51b CHAS. WELBANKS, Village Clerk.

NOTICE

A public meeting of the Electors of the Municipality of Adolphustown, in the County of Lennox and Addington, will be held in the Town Hall, Adolphustown, on Monday, December 29th, 1930, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of nominating a Reeve and four Councillors to represent the said Township for the year 1931.

In case more than the above candidates are nominated, then an Election will be held on Monday, January 5th, 1931, commencing at nine o'clock in the forenoon, and continuing until five o'clock in the afternoon.

Dated at Dorland, this 15th day of December, 1930.

51b A. C. DAVIS, Township Clerk.

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Running a Home As Much a Business As Running an Office

(By Mrs. Thomas N. Edison, in The Pictorial Review)

Here is a earnest name, and unless women make a decided effort to return to the business of home-making, the home is doomed to extinction. Not that it will be abolished. It is to its homes, to its family life and to the women that more than to anything else mankind will owe its strength and its greatness.

But the modern woman who doesn't seem to devote herself to making a home—the modern home—is in a very grave danger. The hustle-bustle kind of life we live is unfair to our men. Women are in a privileged position to make a home which is a refuge from the trials and problems of business, where the family may find rest and quiet and a refreshing atmosphere. The alarming increase which we are facing in the amount of the lack of peace and quiet in the home environment is a challenge to be met to safeguard our civilization. We must keep our homes, and, in order to keep them, and induce our men to take home-making seriously, must dignify the home and home work. Lack of appreciation of home-making and the general tendency to belittle home-work have brought about a certain present attitude on and to housekeeping. She seeks a kind of employment rather than that to what she calls "the drudgery, at work."

No business and everything in life needs—eight per cent drudgery—to apply it alone to earth, things to make work easy, dishes, clothes, after all are only minor adjuncts of home-making.

Instead of the house, woman occupies most important and enviable position in home-making. She is the most possible career. Running it may be the biggest business we have. Where a woman devotes her time business outside she can't maintain home that offers a refuge from the turmoil of the day.

She must be an executive with a certain amount qualifications to enable successfully to fill the triple role of mother, wife and home-maker. "Home executive" was the term I like to apply to home-makers. The term "housewife" is one not apply to the capable woman who conducts her home just as efficiently as the man carries on his work. Home-making is a business that should be learned from childhood. It is a matter we should teach the daughter the art of home-making by practical stages of progression, through courses in her high school years, with degrees and accomplishments and development of the right background for her future as a home-maker. But, home-making is more than the business of house-keeping. It involves spiritual and aesthetic qualities as well. In the first place, the home-maker must be well educated. She must have executive ability. She must be a good purchasing agent. She must know how to buy intelligently. She must be something of a chemist in order to guard her family's diet. She must be an economist. She must be a practical nurse, able to meet her household emergencies. The sooner college women of today realize that home-making is the highest goal the sooner the country will be benefited.

I don't think there is anything more wonderful than being a home-maker. Many of our most important men — men who have accomplished the greatest things — have testified that they have achieved their success because of the loyal support and encouragement of some woman—their mothers or their wives. We seldom hear of the greatness of many of our women, even though their background is an important one.

Home-making requires a woman's full time. In going outside for her career, she is cheating herself of her birthright. A woman needs motherhood to complete her life, and the privilege of making a home and rearing children and guiding their lives is her heritage. When, as a result of suffrage and the war, women lost their prestige in their own sphere, they failed to gain its equivalent, in man's sphere, for women still have a long way to go to achieve a measure of success comparable to that of man.

The new freedom has not been an entire success for women. They are bound to find themselves and to recapture what home and home-making. In a mechanized age many of us have not sufficient to do to fill our time, and as a result there is this general restlessness. One of the chief duties of the modern home-maker is to create vital interests which will help tremendously in securing happiness for her family and in fostering a spirit of companionship in the home.

On the other hand, as a result of labor saving devices, the woman of today has time for the pursuit of interests such as art, music, garden and outside activities, such as club, civic, or church work. The mother of a generation or two ago found more of these fields does so to the enrichment of her own and her family life. Edgar Guest's well-known line, "It takes a heap of livin' in a house to make a home," appeals to me as the best description of the difference between a house and a home. It defines also the difference between a housekeeper and a home-maker.

Running a home is as much a business as running an office, and it is the duty to give home-work the dignity which it deserves. The difference between an amateur and a professional is a matter of drawing pay. Are we to judge the same status to our home-makers by saying that they are not business women because they draw no pay? It is undoubtedly the question of money and the desire for financial independence which has driven our women from their homes and into the gainful occupations. When a woman is delayed to go to her husband for every cent she requires for her personal expenses, dissatisfaction is bound to arise.

The woman who does justice to her business of being a home executive does as much as her husband to earn the family income, or perhaps, rather to conserve the income earned by her husband. A wife is not a man's slave. She should be his partner and his companion. The husband should recognize his wife's part as a big part, and their arrangement should be on fifty-fifty proposition. "With all my worldly goods I thee endow," makes marriage essentially a partnership.

First, a savings account, and then to distribute the balance of the income according to a certain amount of the income for the husband's and the wife's personal expenses and another appropriation for the household needs, many family difficulties which hinge on money matters may be avoided. If we are to encourage our women to return to the home-making business as a career, we must assure them of a measure of dignity and financial independence which they have found in working outside.

Deep down in her heart every woman wants a home. Most women want children. And it seems to me that the solution of many of our present problems and of our unrest lies in getting away from cramped living conditions. Woman can find all the opportunity for self-expression in her family if she will only make an effort to do so. By this rushing and changeful age we might well pause to consider the essential importance of the home.

DON'T SUFFER WITH DANGEROUS INDIGESTION

Do you suffer after meals with a belching, from sour, acid stomach? Then perhaps they have heart trouble and tremble with fear, expecting any minute to drop dead. This condition can be prevented, likewise relieved.

Take Carter's Little Liver Pills after meals and neutralize the gases. Sweeten the sour and acid stomach, relieve the gas and encourage digestion.

The stomach, liver and bowels will be cleansed of poison, painful and dangerous indigestion disappears and the system enjoys a tonic effect. Don't delay. Ask your druggist for a 25c pkg. of Carter's Little Liver Pills.

News and Information For the Farmer

The Eastern Ontario Dairymen's annual convention will be held at Cornwall on January 7th and 8th.

The Ontario Agricultural and Experimental Union will hold its annual meeting in Guelph on January 6th and 7th.

Hastings County girls with 880 points carried off first honors in the Ontario Farm Girls' Contest at the Royal Winter Fair, Perth with 870 points, Oxford Prescott and Russell with 874 each and Dufferin with 873 were next in order.

Protecting Live Stock

The use of movable partitions in stock cars will not only permit the shipment of mixed lots of live stock, but by reducing the possibilities of injury and bruising to a minimum will save the live stock industry several millions of dollars annually. As a result of the findings of a transport committee, the Live Stock Associations of Eastern and Western Canada have joined forces in presenting a petition to the Railway Board seeking to compel railways to install and use at least two movable partitions of suitable type in all cars used for transportation of live stock. The suggested specific still for cars so equipped is one dollar per car per trip. The annual loss through bruising alone under present conditions is placed at over $2,500,000.

Overseas Apple Market

Mr. A. Fulton, overseas representative of the Ontario Fruit Growers' Association, writes:

"Generally speaking, the Ontario fruit growers are doing well with their fruit crops this season, the falling down considerably in the actual packing of the fruit. I make particular reference to 'slacks', which are far to prevalent. More care is needed in filling, racking and tailing the barrels the right height before pressing in order to secure a tight pack."

He also refers to a recent visit to Antwerp, where he saw the, first shipment of Ontario Ben Davis apples unloaded. The fruit landed in excellent condition; he said, and has given every satisfaction to the buyers. He quotes one Belgian buyer as saying that Ontario apples are fully equal to American Growers are cautioned to pay particular attention to "facing" each barrel. In some cases the poorest apples have been placed on top with the result that they give a wrong impression of the barrel's contents and affect its value detrimentally.

Tree Planting in Middlesex

An increase in the number of trees planted in Middlesex County to the number of 25,555 was noted this year. The number planted in 1929 was 23,000 against 237,480 in 1929. In both years there have been great efforts to rebuild the timber resources of the county. Middlesex is only one of a large number of Western Ontario Counties where such measures are in operation. It seems as if every county council is showing its appreciation of the efforts of the government to induce reforestation methods. For 1931 applications for each farmer is allowed 500 trees without charge, and for woodlot planting 3500 trees are provided.

Crate - Feeding Pays

Farmers who are in a position to follow the practice, find the crate-feeding of their poultry pays them big dividends. There are several reasons for this, by prudence the milkfed grades which bring the highest prices; the leading wholesale merchants are now handling poultry in separate grades with substantial differentials between each grade; the premium assured for birds which grade "milkfed" makes crate-feeding worth while; and all poultry intended for eating purposes should be properly finished before being marketed. The farmer who has poultry to market would do well to remember that it is the last pound which brings the finish and increases the value of the bird by 50 or 75 cents.

Progress at O. A. C.

At a recent O. A. C. alumni meeting, Dr. G. I. Christie, president of the college, reported that the new horticultural building was now in partial use and that the services of W. H. Smith, an expert in storage of fruit under refrigeration, had been secured. The cellars of the new building had been equipped with several insulated rooms for experiments on this subject and great benefits should accrue to fruit growers from this work. The construction was also going forward of several new greenhouses, with which are to be connected a showroom in which displays of modern horticultural work can be made and seasonal flower shows held. Much improvement in the grounds of the college has been completed. The new main building is well on towards completion and part of it may be ready for occupation by Easter.

The Sow Thistle Menace

In a recent address A. R. G. Smith, district weed inspector of Western Ontario, appealed to farmers that a supply of weed killer should be kept on hand to control small patches of perennial sow thistle. In emphasizing the seriousness of this menace, he pointed out that in Ontario in 1929 over 100,000 acres of sow thistle was harvested and over 500,000 acres polluted with it. He declared that 23 years ago Prof. Howitt, of O. A. C. issued a bulletin warning people that unless this pest was controlled, it would be on every farm in Ontario. It is now in practically every township in the province, he said.

Must Have License

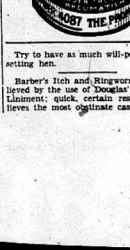
All persons other than producers, including farmers transporting their own fowl must have a license from the warden and the county clerk if they want to transport fowl on the highway from one place to another. The provincial statute requires that such licenses be taken out regardless of whether or not there is a local by-law, but it is thought that the passing of a by-law by county councils would strengthen the officials' hands. The purpose of the license is to enable the police to get a better check on chicken thieves as all persons other than the producer or farmer when transporting fowl must carry his license, produce the same when requested by the authorities and also show a receipt of the purchase made from the vendor. The license regulation does not apply to a producer also shipping fowl bought from a farmer, but will be required from a purchaser if he is a dealer in fowl.

Weekly Crop Report

Current reports from representatives indicate that in general the mild open fall has allowed farmers to clean up many farm jobs that otherwise would have had to remain undone. Fall wheat has entered the winter in good condition and a brisk demand for hay is also indicated.

All classes of live stock in Bruce have gone into winter quarters in about average condition. In Frontenac the demand for fresh milkers has fallen off with prices around $55 and $65. More cattle are changing hands in Glengarry located by the increased delivery of cream to creameries during winter months. Increased demand for good Jersey dairy cattle has pushed the price for these up to $125 or $150 in Lincoln. Middlesex reports hogs as scarce, with the market firm at $9 per cwt. According to stock year records there was a decrease of 5000 hogs marketed from Peel in 1930 as compared to last year. In spite of low prices from potatoes, growers in South Simcoe are realizing more profits from this crop than any other.

For IMPURE BLOOD take



Try to have as much will-power as a setting hen.

Barber's Itch and Ringworm are relieved by the use of Douglas' Egyptian Liniment; quick, certain results. Relieves the most obstinate cases.

SMALLEST DAILY PAPER

WHOLLY STAFF COMPOSED OF ONE MAN.

To See Thursday Island One Would Think This to Be the Last Place In the World for a Newspaper—Japanese Pearl Fishers.

To the north of Australia, of which Cloud, 12 the smallest of the Prince of Wales group, and they are classed as a part of Somerset Queensland, Australia, writes W. R. Givens in the Toronto Star Weekly. How they came thus to be named and whether in tribute to the days on which they were discovered or by the Duke of Edinburgh has less than 2,000 people, but has an excellent harbor, Port Kennedy, and is important enough to be a coaling station for the British navy and a port of call for mail steamers. Friday Island is the quarantine and leper station for the thousand and four islets and reefs in a somewhat pathetic spot.

The few people who know of Thursday Island will tell you it exists principally because it is the centre of the Beche de mer and pearl fisheries of the Torres Straits and that were it not for these its continued existence would be in doubt. But in my opinion its chief claim for fame and recognition lies not in the fact that there be the two enormous that are found there, but in the fact that there is published in this weary waste what is undoubtedly the smallest daily newspaper in the world—and by a woman at that. It is a three-column affair, about 11 inches deep by 8½ inches wide, known as the Torres Straits Daily Pilot, registered at Brisbane, Australia, for mail purposes, and "printed and published for the proprietress by A. Corran." Its subscription price is one shilling weekly payable in advance or sixpence a single copy to non-subscribers, and that it does not seek a large circulation is quite apparent from the "standing notice" at its head occasionally crowded out for lack of space, "one copy to each subscriber."

To see Thursday Island as we saw it on the one afternoon we were there, our liner anchored some miles out in sight of several derelict and wrecked vessels, and the passengers going ashore in the one of the all-too-hurried trip, one would think this to be the last place in the world for a daily newspaper, as the town is a little affair consisting principally of a main street straggling along the water front and with neither electric light nor motor traffic. But here is the daily actually published and run off on a hand press in quite legible fashion, and that it does not seek a large circulation is quite apparent from the "standing notice" at its head occasionally crowded out for lack of space, "one copy to each subscriber."

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The newspaper has a publishing staff of one man, who is also his own printer, pressman, reporter and business manager. Unfortunately for the Pilot and for the public, at 6 o'clock in the evening and the writer's visit to the island ended the pilot Usher nor the proprietress was to be seen, else I am certain I could have had from them a personal and reliable story to tell of their hopes and aspirations.

There was, however, a genuinely interesting episode when, returning to the shore from a visit to the yacht of a large tender from the island on which were some thirty or forty pearl divers who had just finished their three-year period of engagement, and as soon as their boat touched the native country, Australia, a everyone probably knows, is forbidden to permit a policy of making that country a "white man's country," and for reasons even in the case of skilled pearl divers who, it seems, come principally from Japan, the matter of low skilled they are. Thus we were just in the nick of time to see pearling industry in the hand of the rising sun starting homeward after their lonely three years on Thursday Island—surely the profitable, as I learned, since it was said that there were men among these divers who had not accumulated at least five thousand dollars in the three years' stay, the pay being not a mere weekly wage, but being on a percentage basis and proportionate to the value of his "pickings."

There are some highly interesting islands in the Torres Straits, one of Australian coast inside the Great Barrier Reef to Thursday Island and the Prince and Wales beyond, and I confess to an infinite surprise when I learned that these are the only islands of any consequence wild men. As for the Great Barrier Reef itself this is an amazing affair over the top of which for a week in one of surpassing beauty, for I have nothing like it in all the world in dimension, interest or, for that matter, if properly exploited, in value.

It covers an area of 80,000 square miles and it is interesting to note that 1,000 miles of its 1,500 miles in length are in purely Australian waters. It is a R. C. reef with many islands and an inland sea of Japan combined since it contains thousands of islands, many of them with high mountains, and beautiful in the afternoon sunlight as only tropical islands and islets and sheltered nooks and bays. Extending from Lady Elliot Island near Brisbane to the Torres Strait it is the more amazing because of the fact that all the islands are coral and with magnificent coralrock shore lines. As it is the main passage from the southern extension of the Australia continent to Japan, China, the Philippines, Singapore and the East, it is reasonable to expect that as time goes on the islands within the reef will be more generally explored and cultivated.

Misfits. Thoughtful Child, (with memories of recent shopping expedition.) "Did you get me in a bargain basement, mummy?"

Mother. "Whatever do you mean, darling?"

Child: "Well—my fingers are all different sizes."—Passing Show, (London)

BELLEVILLE LIFE UNDERWRITERS ELECT OFFICERS

The Life Underwriters of this district held their monthly meeting on December 15th at the Quinte Hotel, at which took the form of an annual meeting, when the officers for 1931 were elected and plans for the New Year were discussed.

The following were elected for officers for the coming year:—

President, H. Heaton, Dominion Life, Belleville.

Vice President — A. D. Monck, Prudential, Belleville.

Secretary— H. G. Crowe, Continental Life, Trenton.

Treasurer — G. F. Cole, C. L. U., Imperial Life, Belleville.

Executive members — C. H. Burr, Mutual Life, Picton; F. B. Elliott, Great West Life, Napanee; F. Salisbury, Excelsior Life, Belleville.

After lunch had been served, Mr. Salisbury gave a short talk, setting forth the qualifications required for a life underwriter to take his C. L. U. degree. It was decided to hold a class after the new year.

The newly elected Mayor of Belleville, Mr. George Reid, one of our most enthusiastic members, expressed his appreciation on the support he received from his fellow underwriters, in being re-elected Mayor of the City. He pointed out that the insurance men of this district should take a keener interest in the business affairs of the community by offering their service in some specific work.

Mayor Reid was unanimously re-elected to represent our local association at the annual meeting of the parent body which meets in Toronto in January.

Mr. George Cole, newly elected President of the Belleville Kiwanis Club, also one of our esteemed members, was called upon to speak, made a timely reply.

RUM MODERN FACTORY NEAR NORTH POLE

A canning factory, equipped with modern machinery and operated by electric power, has been established within a few hundred miles of the North Pole. It is operated entirely by Eskimos, mostly women.

The factory, financed by the Danish Government, draws its power from the near-by rivers and is equipped with up-to-date dynamos and oil engines to cope with emergencies. It is located in Holsenberg Greenland, which has a population of about 260. A fleet of modern motorboats keeps the factory supplied with halibut, the principal catch of the vicinity.

11 Years Constipation Glycerin Mix Ends It

"For 11 years I tried to get rid of constipation," writes Mrs. Chas. Lee. "Then at last the simple mixture, Adlerika, made me regular."

The marvelous action of glycerin, buckhorn bark, saline, etc., (Adlerika) acts on BOTH upper and lower bowel, relieving constipation in 2 hours! Brings out poisons you never thought in your system. Let Adlerika give your stomach and bowels a REAL cleaning and see how good you feel! At Winkler's Drug Store. Limited.

AN ADVENTURE !

"I had an adventure the other day," said a lady to her friend. "I made an adventure in friendship." Her listeners were interested. "Yes," she replied, "I went on a 300-mile trip in two minutes. No, not in imagination —by telephone. Wonderful, isn't it? I found—and—got a new pupil for the moment. We are going to telephone often. It's a thrill I've only just discovered."

MINERAL ELEMENTS PROMOTING LIFE

Minerals occur in marine products in quantity and variety. The diversification of mineral content may be realized by calling attention to the fact that scientists have found in sea water at least 30 mineral elements of life. It is reasonable to suppose that most, if not all, of the minerals which occur in sea water are present in food products from the sea. In fact, progress has been made towards identifying many of these minerals in marine products. To date the following mineral constituents have been found in this class of foods. Calcium, phosphorus, sodium potassium, iron, magnesium, titanium, aluminum, zinc, manganese, copper, iodine, flourine, sulphur, chlorine and silica.

There remains much more research to be done to determine the role played by minerals in foods. That, in fact, lack of nutrition has hardly begun to be investigated. However, outstanding results have been obtained of obtaining knowledge along these lines are the demonstration of the value played by iodine present in one type of nutritional anemia, and iodine in the prevention and cure of simple goiter. Marine products offer the richest known sources of materials for these purposes. This is the science of nutrition, and it is to be expected that in future years scientific investigators will find a pioneer field of potential investigation offering rich rewards and a veritable gold mine of possibilities in scientific accomplishment.

LIEUT. - GOVERNORS TO BE APPOINTED

Not only will a new Governor General be appointed to Canada within the next twelve months, but also the terms of office of the lieutenant-Governors of Canada expire within that time.

The appointment of Lieutenant Governors of the provinces is a matter of serious consideration. The appointments are made at Ottawa by the Federal Government and next year there will be appointments made for Ontario, Nova Scotia, Saskatchewan, Alberta and British Columbia. The position calls for men who have also held a political reproach, men of substance and of culture and (business background. But one thing is certain, the salary is not adequate for the needs of such an office, the man chosen must have a private purse with which to meet the calls which are made on him.

OKE! It is reported that an American bride insisted on saying "Yes" instead of "I will" at the marriage ceremony. This is hard to believe. Surely she said "Yeah" or "O.K. by me," or even "And How!"—London Opinion.

EMPEROR OF ABYSSINIA

IN AFRICA'S STRANGEST AND MOST SECRET LAND.

At the Crowning of Ras Tafari the Duke of Gloucester Met Barbaric Chiefs Whose Only Law Is Might —Emperor Is a Man of Power.

Ras Tafari Makonnen, King of Kings, Conquering Lion of Judah, and Emperor of Ethiopia, to give him a few of his titles, was crowned Emperor of Abyssinia on November 2nd, last.

Ras Tafari claims direct descent from King Solomon and the Queen of Sheba, writes Col. F. T. Etherton in Answers, and the Abyssinians tell you that they originate from tribes of Israelites who had a difference of opinion with Moses and declined to cross the Red Sea with him. Instead, they went on up the Nile until they reached Abyssinia, where they set up an independent kingdom, a kind that is still very much a sealed book to the rest of the world.

You will find Abyssinia on the southern coast of the Red Sea; it is a wonderful plateau with a fine climate, but its people, although they were converted to Christianity some sixteen centuries ago, dislike outsiders and keep themselves aloof.

Ras Tafari, the new emperor, is, however, progressive and wants to see the country blossom out. At least his high-sounding titles are, as we were the stranger, but, in fact, there is nothing feeble about him. His age is thirty-seven, and in appearance he is a little below the middle height, with delicate, handsome features, and a complexion that is the envy of dark brown people.

He has a quiet manner entirely devoid of swagger, altogether strangely unlike the picture I had conjured up of a conquering lion. The voice is subdued but incisive, and he has exceptionally small feet and hands, with the fingers of a musician.

Ras Tafari speaks no English, but fluent French. He has visited Paris as well as London, and has a liking for French things. His palace at Addis Abbaba, the capital of Abyssinia, is furnished as a result, boasts in Paris might be. Ornaments and photographs adorn the tables, and brocaded furniture li mesh in favor.

Apart from his artistic interests and his ambitious attempts to bring the finest of the West to the East, he is proud of the nation of which he is emperor, of its warriors, of the Israelites, and, centuries afterwards, of the six kings of Abyssinia, all rulers at the same time and the heirs of the sudden interest taken by European powers in the land, and of the trade treaties between them.

Listening to his melodious voice, you find yourself implanted into another age, an age of valor and adventure, war, of brave hearts rewards a civilization that exists more as a compliment to a ruler than through any natural manifestation.

He spoke of the future, a topic on which his voice strikes a note of intense note. You realize the meaning of this modern civilization in the hands of the ruler, and how much are the ambitions of a man who has the East to handle, with its ceaseless beliefs and ancient prejudices, and is trying to lead rather than to drive it forward into advancement.

For Ras Tafari Makonnen, despite his title of Conquering Lion of Judah, is a man of peace and culture, and exceptionally hard-working. He has broken precedent by attending to matters himself, and combines with his progressive ideas the ability to keep the warlike chieftains, or barons, in check.

A certain subtlety is needed in a ruler of Abyssinia, and here Ras Tafari possesses it in full measure, or his fall. When he visited London a short time ago he brought with him a dozen of the leading chiefs.

Ras Tafari knew that a warlike and ambitious chieftain was safe enough in a London hotel, and that a dozen of them are safer still. The outlying districts of Abyssinia could look after themselves while the ruler was away—but only so long as the rebellious cases with him.

In addition to having journeyed thirty to forty days by mule or camel before setting out on the European voyage, they were compelled, for the time being, to lay aside their hopes of an ambitious campaign of murder and rapine in order to trail round Europe with their ruler on a program of dull, civilised sight-seeing.

Ras Tafari knew that they were obedient. Ras Tafari has to deal with men who think little of life in the mountains, protected from the central authority by huge physical obstacles, and knowing no law save that which is enforced from the central authority by huge physical obstacles, and knowing no law save that which is enforced by their own power.

They are supremely haughty, pay no taxes, and care little how other subjects of the emperor himself.

In the capital of Addis Abeba, however, King and chieftain live in a new kingdom which is illuminated apart from beyond the seas rested and conversed in the languages of Oriental fire-worked chairs and thrones. They saw the power of Abyssinia massed marshalled and kept in disciplined ranks.

Above all, they saw a capital that was built by a victorious army. For it was after the defeat of the Italians in 1896 that Menelek returned to his men with the words: "Beat your swords, rifles, and lances into instruments for building, for the tribute to your valor shall be a new city — the capital of Abyssinia."

That capital is Abbaba, on a plateau some 7,000 feet high.

Through its bazaars pass representatives of all Equatorial Africa. There are 75,000 people in the capital, and nearly as many dogs. And from the bazaar you can look up to the palace in a central position on the hill, with its vast courtyards where thousands of men are idling.

All round you are the children of this unconquered land, where every foreigner is an intruder, this high-bred race of proud and fanatical warriors, the children of the Queen of Sheba.

Treat for Hubby. Wife: "I've bought you a beautiful surprise for your birthday—it has just arrived.

Husband: I am curious to see it."

Wife: "What a minute and I will put it on."—Passing Show.

Hardly Ever. Tourist: The Shine. Frosh "What keeps the moon from falling ?"

Another Dumbbell: "It must be the beams." — The R. O. T. C. Shield.

ONTARIO ARCHIVES
TORONTO

THE CHURCHES

Grace United Church
Rev. W. P. Hodger, B.A., Minister

10.30 a.m. and 7.00 p.m. — New Year's messages. The choir will repeat some of the Christmas music of last Sunday at the evening service.
11.45—Sunday School.
Visitors cordially invited to all services.

St. Andrew's United Church
Rev. A. J. Wilson B.A., B.D., Pastor

10.30 a.m. — Morning Service.
Prof. J. O. Watts, of Queen's, will preach.
11.45 a.m. — Sunday School and Bible Classes.
7.30 p.m. — Evening Service.
Prof. J. O. Watts, of Queen's, will preach.
Prof. J. O. Watts will speak at the Forum on Sunday afternoon.

Trinity United Church
Minister: Rev. Harry Pawson

Sunday, December 28th
10.30 a.m. — Public Worship.
11.45 a.m. — Sunday School.
7.00 p.m. — Public Worship.
Organist, Mr. W. R. Gray, L.R.A.M.
Young People's League and Mid-Week Class withdrawn.

Adolphustown United Circuit
Rev. Harold F. Sanders, B.A., Minister.

11.00 a.m. — Centennial U. E. L. Church.
2.30 p.m. — Hayburn Church.
7.30 p.m.—Sillsville Church.
New Year's theme—"Would He Find Faith."

Enterprise Pastoral Charge
Rev. D. M. Stinson, M.A, B.D., Minister

Enterprise 11.00 a.m.—Sunday School Centreville. 11.00 a.m.—Divine Worship.
Desmond. 2.30 p.m.—Divine Worship.
Enterprise 7.00 p.m.—Divine Worship.
New Year's service, followed by Communion at each appointment.

Morven Circuit
Rev. R. W. Street, Pastor.

Switzerville. 10.00 a.m. — Preaching Service.
Switzerville, 11.00 a.m. — Sunday School.
Fourth Line, 2.30 p.m.— Preaching Service.
Morven, White Church, 10.15 a.m.—Sunday School.
Morven, White Church, 7.00 p.m. — Preaching Service.

Bay Circuit
Rev. J. E. Beckel, Pastor.

Sand Hill, 10.30 a.m. — Preaching Service.
Hay Bay, 1.30 p.m. — Sunday School.
Hay Bay, 2.30 p.m. — Preaching Service.
Gretna, 10.30 a.m.—Sunday School.
Gretna, 7.30 p.m.—Preaching Service.
Rev. Harry Mellow, of Manilla, will have charge of all these services.

Newburgh Circuit
Rev. T. H. P. Anderson, Pastor.

Camden East, 10.00 a.m. — Public Worship.
Camden East, 11.15 a.m. — Sunday School.
Strathcona, 10.30 a.m. — Sunday School.
Wesley, 10.30 a.m.—Sunday School.
Wesley, 11.30 a.m.—Public Worship.
Newburgh, 2.00 p.m.—Sunday School.
Newburgh, 7.00 p.m. — Public Worship.

Selby Circuit
Rev. H. W. Foley, B.A., B.D., Minister.

Selby, 10.00 a.m.—Sunday School.
Selby, 7.00 p.m.—Public Worship
Friday, 7.30 p.m.—Y. P. S.
Christmas programme.
Empey Hill, 10.30 a.m.—Church and Sunday School.

Parish of Camden
Rector: Rev. R. W. Spencer.

Christmas Day
St. John's Church, Newburgh — 7.00 a.m.
St. Anthony's Church, Yarker — 9.00 a.m.
St. Luke's Church, Camden East — 11.00 a.m.
Sunday After Christmas
St. John's Church, Newburgh 10.30 a.m.
St. Luke's Church, Camden East — 2.30 p.m.
St. Anthony's Church, Yarker — 7.00 p.m.

Parish of Bath
Rev. W. G. Swayne, Rector.

There will be no services in the Parish on Christmas Day.
Sunday, December 28th
St. Alban's, Odessa, 9.00 a.m.— Holy Communion.
St. John's, Bath, 11.00 a.m. — Holy Communion.
St. Thomas', Morven, 2.30 p.m. — Evensong.
The Vicar of Napanee will officiate at all services.

Parish of Adolphustown and South Frederickburgh
Rev. Arthur Strother, Rector.

Christmas Day
St. Paul's, Sandhurst, 8.00 a.m. — Holy Communion.
St. Alban's Adolphustown, 10.30 a.m. — Holy Communion.
Sunday, December 28th
St. Paul's, Sandhurst, 11.00 a.m. — Morning Prayer.
St. Alban's, Adolphustown, 2.30 p.m. — Evening Prayer.

ROYAL RATTLE MAKER

A dainty rattle has been made for Princess Margaret Rose, by a woman who, ever since the birth of the Prince of Wales, has designed rattles for the Royal babies. The one made for the Prince was of anchor design, those for his brothers represented various flowers; Princess Margaret's is a white rose of York, and at the end a tiny spray of blue bells has been added for her birthplace.

Seven days without food makes one weak.

WHERE HEROES SLEEP

GRAVES ARE FOUND IN EVERY CLIMB.

Choicest Flowers of Homeland Grow in Great War Cemeteries, But the White Headstones Among Them Tell of Battle and Tragedy.

Sixteen years ago, when the "Contemptibles" were pushing back a vast German army, a small group of British graves was discovered in the French Communal Cemetery at Bethune, writes Gordon Laws in Answers. They were roughly marked with wooden crosses, there was no evidence of records, and nobody was responsible for their maintenance.

About this time a small mobile unit had been formed at the request of Lord Kitchener to search for missing men on the line of the retreat from Mons to the Marne. The Red Cross Society, on learning of the graves at Bethune, then and there decided that this mobile unit should be given the means of marking and recording such British graves as it located. From this small beginning grew the great organisation known as the Imperial War Graves Commission.

Early in 1915, when it became clear that local French and Belgian churchyards could never accommodate all our dead, the idea of separate cemeteries was formed, and before long the Governments concerned gave extensive tracts of land for this purpose in the name of their peoples. Little did we dream then that no fewer than 1,049,919 dead would eventually occupy a total of 750,000 graves in 15,593 burial grounds in all conceivable parts of the world. Of actual cemeteries there have now been completed more than 850!

Mention of war graves naturally conjures up visions of France and Belgium; but it must never be forgotten that there is scarcely a corner of the world not consecrated by the bodies of British soldiers, sailors, airmen, and merchant seamen. Nor should the fact be overlooked that in the British Isles are buried close on 120,000—about an eighth of our total war casualties.

These figures give some idea of the tremendous task which in 1917 (when its royal charter was granted) lay before the Imperial War Graves Commission.

But more impressive than any figures which might be given is a visit to one of the cemeteries. Relatives who went out in those forlorn days just after the war were sometimes shocked by the wooden crosses which leaned at all angles. People did not understand why so simple a thing as a gravestone had not been erected.

To-day nearly all those crosses are gone, but to replace them 10,000,000 cubic feet of stone, cement, and brick (weighing 700,000 tons) had to be quarried, cut, made, and laid in position over thousands of square miles of stricken country. That fact explains the delay.

As in all war cemeteries, you are surprised, shocked almost by the first sensation of sameness. These thousands of similar stones! But as your eyes begin to observe in detail it becomes obvious that the commission has at once achieved an utter disregard of rank distinctions and a maximum of regard for each man's personality.

Generals and privates share a common type of stone, and each stone bears a replica of the badge worn in the soldier's cap, his name, rank, and age, and a cross (or other appropriate religious emblem, such as the six-pointed Star of David for one of the Jewish faith).

But beneath these mere official details the space is occupied by a personal inscription chosen by a mother or other relative. Some of these inscriptions are very touching. It was a fine thought to make provision for expressions of personal sentiment.

At the last, however, on to each all these details in appreciation of the flowers; for there are the great wonder and joy of these open-air cemeteries which cost so much of sorrow and tears. One might multiply statistics in an endeavor to give a fairly full impression of what has been accomplished; a few only may be given here.

In one year over 1,500,000 plants were issued from the commission's nurseries to French and Belgian cemeteries. In all there are about 400,000 hedge-plants, trees, shrubs, and roses are sent out, and hundreds of thousands of plants are notified. It will therefore be seen that no pains are being spared to make our brave men's resting-places real gardens of peace.

At the moment work proceeds with all possible speed. All kinds of difficulties have to be overcome, not the least being the identification of bodies.

There may be only men recovered from one place. One body will bear the name and unit of Pte. Smith; one is a lance-corporal, two are unidentified. But at Shiplin's record may be found which reports the burial of Lance-Corporal Jones, the same Pte. Smith, and two other men. A map conference covering the grave now discovered. The graves of the lance-corporal and Pte. Smith are now properly recorded and marked by single headstones, the other two will have a "joint grave" with a headstone on which both their names are inscribed.

The cost of the Imperial War Graves Commission is some hundreds of thousands of pounds annually, representing amounts spent on administration, records, construction of cemeteries and memorials to the missing, maintenance, and upkeep. This "bill" is footed by the British and Dominion Governments, who created in 1925 a Graves Endowment Fund of £7,000,000, the annual interest on which is to provide a permanent income for the maintenance of all British graves and war memorials.

With this ample provision it is assured that there will never come a time of neglect. The 750,000 garden [illegible] will be lovingly cared for [illegible] perpetuity. The roses [illegible] perennially wherever our [illegible] did lie honored.

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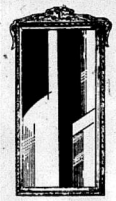

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FAMOUS 'CELLIST

Boris Hambourg, internationally known 'cellist, member of the Hart House String Quartette of Toronto and founder of the Hambourg trio in Canada, who comes of one of the greatest musical families of today, will be soloist with the Toronto Symphony Orchestra, Sunday, December 28th. The programme will be broadcast by the Canadian National Railways' coast-to-coast network.

CHRISTMAS TREE CUT BENEFITS FORESTS

The cutting of Christmas trees does not interefere with reforestation but in fact spreads the growth of remaining young trees which within a few years will become merchantable timber.

This fact is explained by the statement that only the shapely trees, those that have grown symmetrically and are full of branches are taken out. When those are removed the remaining trees have more room in which to grow and even though they may not become beautiful trees they are first class lumber material.

The Christmas tree industry is growing rapidly and this year thousands of unemployed will find work during the cutting season.

ONE GOOD RECIPE MAKES A COOK FAMOUS

What an appetizing air a plate of hot muffins has on the table these cold days. Sweet muffins, too, are lovely for afternoon teas and the kiddies do enjoy a hot buttered muffin when they come in ravenous from school.

Golden Corn Muffins

One cup of flour, 2 tablespoons butter, one cup yellow cornmeal, 3 tablespoons sugar, 1 cup milk, 2 eggs, 1 teaspoonful of salt, 3 teaspoonfuls baking powder.

Cream the butter and sugar together, add eggs well beaten and milk. Then stir in slowly dry ingredients which have been sifted together three times. Divide into greased gem tins and bake in moderately hot oven 25 minutes.

HONEY PRODUCTION IS NATIONAL ASSET

Honey production in Canada, despite a lowering price average, shows a big increase in both volume and value. Much of this increase has been due to the help provided apiarists through the research work of the Bee Division of the Dominion Department of Agriculture. In 1927 the nine provinces produced a total of 23,196,463 pounds of honey, which selling at an average price of thirteen cents a pound, was worth $3,936,558. In 1928 the production amounted to 30,978,725 pounds. This sold at an average price of eleven cents per pound, giving a crop value of $3,402,227. Ontario is the largest single producer of honey, the 1929 crop amounting to 17,000,000 pounds, while Prince Edward Island produced only 14,050 pounds.

Prof. J. O. Watts at the Forum on Sunday afternoon.

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PERSONALS

It is the desire of the publishers that all should take an interest in this column of The Beaver. If you have friends visiting you, or are going away for a trip, leave word or send it on a Post Card.

Mr. Richard P. Bower, Ottawa, is spending the Christmas holidays with his aunt, Miss Sarah Hamm, John St.

Mrs. Will Joyce left on Tuesday to spend a month in London.

Miss Betty Smith is home for the vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Smith.

Mr. Morris Madden is at home with his parents, Judge J. H. and Mrs. Madden, for the holidays.

Mr. Henry Creighton left on Monday for Sudbury, to spend Christmas and New Year's with relatives.

Miss Evelyn Mills, of Queen's University is spending the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Mills.

Mr. Bruce R. Madden, Toronto, is in town with his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Madden.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred S. Wilson and two children left yesterday for Montreal, where they will spend the Christmas holidays.

Miss Helen Grange and Mr. Jack Grange are spending the Christmas holidays in town with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Grange.

Miss Alma Wales, of Collingwood, and Miss Marion Wales, of North Bay, are spending the holidays in Napanee with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Wales.

Mr. J. F. Chalmers, of Edmonton, Alta., who has been attending a meeting of the Western Canada Division of the Investment Loan Managers and Inspectors of the Mutual Life Assurance Company of Canada, at Waterloo, Ont., arrived in Napanee on Wednesday, and will spend the holidays in Napanee and vicinity, visiting relatives and renewing acquaintances.

We are pleased to be able to state that Dr. C. M. Stratton is convalescing nicely from his recent serious illness.

Miss Rosa Lee left on Saturday to spend the holidays with her brother, J. D. Lee, Niagara Falls, N.Y.

Mr. and Mrs. William Ballance, Strathcona, and Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Metcalf, Napanee, were the guests of the Kingston Poultry Association, at their annual banquet, last Tuesday evening.

Mrs. J. R. Dafoe is spending the holidays in Toronto, with her daughter, Mrs. Colleen Stewart.

BIRTHS

HUDGINS — At Selby, on Wednesday, December 17th, 1930, to Mr. and Mrs. Percy Hudgins, a daughter.

FRENCH— At Morven, on Saturday, November 29th, 1930, to Mr. and Mrs. Erle F. French, a daughter,— Lois Aletha.

DEATHS

WANDRUM—At Kingston, on December 22nd, 1930, Mrs. Phoebe Wandrum aged 90 years.

PYBUS — At Napanee, on Wednesday, December 17th, 1930, Mrs. Margaret Pybus, aged 80 years, 4 months and 17 days.

SHOREY — At Napanee, on Friday, December 19th, 1930, Mrs. Harriett Wartman Shorey, aged 89a years, 10 months and 19 days.

CARD OF THANKS

In future all insertions of Cards of Thanks and In Memoriam will be inserted in The Beaver only if the money accompanies the order, at the following rates: Card of Thanks, 75c.; In Memoriam, 50c., and 50c. additional for each verse.

Dr. C. M. Stratton wishes to thank his many friends for their kindness and thoughtfulness during his recent serious illness, and also takes this opportunity of wishing them all a Merry Christmas and a Happy and Prosperous New Year. 52

IN MEMORIAM

In sad but loving memory of our Dear Mother, Mary J. Winters, who departed this life, December 16th, 1929. She always had some cheerful word,
Her smiles, we see them yet;
Her tender love for every one
We never shall forget.
And when all is still and silent,
And sleep forsakes our eyes;
Our thoughts are in that silent grave,
Where our Dear Mother lies.

Tenderly remembered by her Children. 52ap

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of Mrs. Wesley Hall, who passed peacefully away at Marmora, December 20th, 1926.

Sadly missed by Husband and Family. 52ap

MAPLE LEAF INSTITUTE

The regular monthly meeting of the Maple Leaf Women's Institute was held on Thursday, December 18th, at the home of the president, Mrs. J. W. Cummings. In the absence of Mrs. Cummings, who is with her daughter, Hazel, at the Kingston General Hospital, Mrs. Carman Day, 1st Vice-President, occupied the chair. The meeting opened with the Ode, followed by the Lord's Prayer. After the business was dispensed with, we were favoured with a duet by Misdames Will and Ben Pretis, entitled, "Institute." Mrs. Will Pretis then gave a splendid report of the Kingston Convention. Mrs. S. H. Fraser was the winner of the prize for articles made from a flour bag and ten cents. Mrs. John Chambers and Mrs. Alf. Scrimshaw were the judges. At the close of the meeting the Christmas sale was held, which amounted to $5.50 with some articles still on hand. A hearty vote of thanks was tendered our hostess, Mrs. Bruce Cummings, also the lunch committee.

Meeting closed with a social half hour over the tea cup.

Stop Thief! Wiseacre: "Haven't I always given you my salary cheque the first of every month."

Mrs. Wiseacre: "Yes, but you never told me you got paid on the first and fifteenth, you embezzler!"—Cleveland News.

NAPANEE PUBLIC SCHOOLS

NOVEMBER AND DECEMBER REPORTS

(A) 40% of each subject and 75% of total.
(B) 40% of each subject and 60% of total.
(C) Less than 40% in a subject, or less than 60% of the total.

Those marked (*) absent for one or more examinations.

WEST WARD SCHOOL

Senior IV

A—R. Kayler, D. Stinson.
B—G. Miller, D. Owen, J. Vine, G. White, W. Kellar, A. Cornwall, J. Thompson, I. Murphy, H. Derby and D. Seymour, equal; J. Turner, B. Yeomaistine, B. Evans, C. Barrett, D. Davidson, E. LeMaistre, R. J. Goslin and D. Millsap, equal.
C—D. Holmes, E. Pearson, G. Wilson, I. Stevenson, B. Webster, G. Joy, F. McLaughlin, M. Rose, L. Taylor, R. Brown, M. Metcalfe, B. Cowling, G. McKeown, J. Stinson, C. Harnden, G. Curry.

Junior IV

A — M. Eggleton, J. Gibbard, R. Woodger.
B—D. Cowling, L. Blesk, I. Storey.
C—J. Clarke, L. O'Connor, J. Gilbride, S. Gilbert, E. Elliott, M. Dafoe, V. Roy, M. Miller, R. Edgar, F. Barrett, K. Sprung, R. Paul, M. Markle, L. Ballard, E. Storey, B. McMillan, H. Deschane, B. McCutcheon, D. Robertson, G. Paul, L. Manser, George Curry, B. Archer, G. Markle, George Griffin, K. LaPointe, D. Dafoe, J. Conger, J. Young R. Dafoe*, I. Barrager.

Senior III

A—Dorothy Reid, Marion Roney.
B—Ruth Vanalstine, Aileen Warner, Georgina Vick, Phyllis Denison and Yvonne Fulks, equal; Billy Babcock, Josephine Huyck, Marguerite Curry, Gilbert Coons, Jean Vanalstine, Leo Walker, Doris McMillan, Donald Reid, Doris Turner, Byron Perry, Vera Pidgeon.
C— Clarence Butcher, Reta Elliott, Robert Russell, Donald Leary, Jean Edgar, Bruce McCutcheon, Gertrude Kinnear, Edith Thompson, Harold Babcock, Jack Cockwell, Fred Cassan, Maxine Irvine, Bertha Grange, Jim Tompkins, Cyril Lewis, Paul Archer, Leonard Loree, Harold Switzer, Louis Pord, Betty Cornwall, Isobel Stevenson, Janet Lucas.
Marie Johnson and Gordon Gilbride missed examinations.

Senior III

A— Jack Willoughby, Hugh Richmond.
B—Anna Hearns, Dorothy Plumley, Leslie Hearns, Anna Wilson, Dorothy Markle.
C—Mary Kimmerly, Irene Hagerman, Jon Lucas, Trevor Pawson, Bruce Richmond, Ruth Miller, Jean Young, Kenneth Moore.

Junior III

B—Frances Markle, Maurice Thompson, Authurine Curry, Madeline Babcock, P. Lapointe, Eileen Seymour, John Russell, Audrey Lucas, Jim Moore.
C — Mary McIlwaine, Ruth Howie, Katharine Weiss, Margaret Conger, Vivien Emmin, Jack Holmes, Ted Closan, Homer Vine, Douglas Meikle, Ralph Lucas.
(*) Fletcher Vick missel all the examinations owing to illness.

Junior III B

A — H. O'Connor, L. Gilbride, M. Norsworthy, H. Matthews.
B—B. Moore, M. Walker, W. Thompson, H. Hayes, B. Smith, B. Richmond, B. Coons, E. Jackson, C. Markle, D. Walker, L. Markle, M. McIlwaine, D. Exley, V. Hughes, M. Markle, W. Kimmerly, D. Barrager, D. McCracken, E. Butcher, W. Fox, L. Valkman, O. Plumley, D. Murphy.
C—E. Poste, H. Goslin, R. Wagar, L. Babcock and R. Bradshaw, M. Henderson, N. Thompson, F. Thompson, N. Wheeler, *I Baker, *M. Buchanan.

Senior II

A—M. White and B. MacPherson, equal; M. VanVolkenburgh, M. Knapp, E. Kellar, H. Pawson, E. Mellow, H. Naven, M. Naven.
B—D. Rendell, J. Polila, A. Clark, J. Hunton, A. Switzer, L. Bates, H. Lewis.
C—H. Leary, D. Rendell, B. Baker, A. Loucks, B. Turner and M. Kellar, equal; E. Graham, McTaggart, G. Leary, J. Howie, P. Thompson, * R. Mowers, J. Brown, B. Beauhien and G. Haight, equal; K. Kent, H. Pigeon, C. Millar, J. Manser, G. Hagerman, M. Wood, G. Closan, M. Moore, *R. Wheeler, R. Vick, E. Hearns, H. Zender, A. Babcock, (*) R. Pennel.

Junior II

A—Eileen Barrett, Peggy Dibb, Ronald Smith, Jimmy McGraw, Marguerite Derby, Joseph Lewis.
B—Teddy Bills, Bobby Clark, Stuart Storms, Elinor Mowers, Gerald Hayes, Doris Curry, Marion O'Connor, Laura Curry, Maudie Babcock, Lois Storms, Dorothy Varrette, Ruth Plumley and Jimmy Vandusen, equal.
C—Harvey Martin, Clare Millar, Joe Wheeler, Stuart MocHffin.

Senior I

A—Raymond Vick.
B—Margaret Young, Herbert Henderson, Mildred Parks and Lois Williams, equal; Helen Young, Louise Pord, Doris Thompson, Aileen Thompson, Barbara Butcher, Dorothy Derby.
C—Cecil Valey.

Junior I

Lois Knapp, Jean Pord, Margery Thompson, Cecil Grange, Jimmy Fraser, Herbert Hayes, Doris Archer, Billy Buchanan, Helen Moore.

Senior Primer

Roy Mack, Gerald Babcock, Jack Varrette, Russell Thompson, Pennell Thompson, Billy Cronin, (*)Jimmy Grange.

Junior Primer

Mildred Pew, Mary Elliott, Margaret McGraw, Donald Willoughby, Kenneth Johnston, Irene Paul, Eugene Knapp, Bobbie Thurston, Tora Babcock, Margaret Plumley, Vera Thompson, Stanley McTaggart, Kathleen Markle, Howard Storey, Blythe Perry, Florence Thompson, Marjorie Carr, Raymond Parks, Billy Shortt.

Junior I

A—Douglas Blakely, Helena Parks, Doris Card, Frances Walker.
C—Gerald Bedore (*)Elden Hearnes.

Senior Primer

Mary Mellow, Helen O'Connor, Jean Walker, Russell Vanvolkenburgh, Phyllis McMillan, Eva Murphy, Vernon Perry, Donald Watts, Lois McKeown, (*)Ephie Babcock.

Intermediate Primer

Mac Smith, Charlie Douglas, Helen Markle, Marguerite Pidgeon, Madeline Kent, Jean Buchanan, Reggie Hearnes, Clemmeth Sagriff.

Junior Primer

Rodney Sexsmith, Katherine Simpson, Helen Lewis, Jack Spencer, Edna Gillott, Lois Smith, Barbara Santer, Ruth Duffett, Reginald Woods, Donna Kellar, Jack Baldree, Joyce Hunter, Annie May Babcock, Cameron Benn, Donald Jackson, Billy Wheeler, Helen Thompson, Annie Pox.

EAST WARD

Senior II

B—A. Kirkpartick, E. Austin, R. Thompson.
C—M. Vine, M. Austin.

Junior II

A—I. Pollard, R. Street.
B—P. Roe, M. Spencer, J. Napolis, D. Wilson, V. Stevenson, E. Hill, B. Peacock, J. Ballance, R. Young, S. Madden, M. Conger, (*) M. Stacey.
C—G. Kinkley, H. Martin, H. Pollard.

Senior I

A—J. Loucks, J. Boch, J. Rush.
B—K. McFarland, L. Kirkpatrick, M. Cassan, Reta Thompson, E. Thompson.
C—S. Loucks, Q. Ohlman, K. Meikle, (*) L. Stout.

Junior I

B—Mary Reid, Archie Hill.
C—Warren Gilbert, Tommy Thompson, Howard Gilbert, Pearl Denison, Helen Moore, Dorothy Taylor, Jim Pollard.

Senior Primer

Miriam Allison, Marjorie Raymer, Winnie Pord, Betty Babcock.

Intermediate Primer

Sarah Thompson, James Madden, Mary Cassan, Dorothy Gilbert, Glenn Holmes, Jean Lucas, Ruth Pollard, Betty Brown, Bobbie Pybus.

Junior Primer

Florence Bush, Margaret Pollard, Lewis Austin, Hughie Sharpe, Jean Both.

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KEEPING IDLE HORSES

The annual report of the Cap Rouge Experimental Station of the Dominion Department of Agriculture contains an item of special interest at the present time with respect to keeping idle horses over the winter.

Superintendent G. A. Langelier, of this Station, finds that horses taken off work gradually in the fall not only may be kept cheaply but will actually gain in weight on a daily ration of one pound of mixed hay, one pound of oat straw, and one pound of swede turnips for every one hundred pounds of weight. Energy and vitality are maintained. Idle horses on such a ration, however, should not be worked. The change from work to idleness and vice versa should be made gradually over a period of about two weeks. Other interesting and useful information will be found in the report, which is now being distributed.

KILLED BY RAILWAYS

Deaths as a result of railway crossing accidents in September, numbered 19, according to a report issued by the Board of Railway Commissioners. There were 45 accidents and besides those killed were 70 injured. By provinces, accidents were: Prince Edward Island, 1; Nova Scotia, 3; New Brunswick, 5; Quebec, 13. Ontario, 10; Manitoba, 2; Saskatchewan, 2; Alberta, 5, and British Columbia, 4. Only three of the 45 accidents occurred at protected crossings.

The total for the month of all accidents in connection with railways was 183, in which two passengers, seven employees and 41 others were killed.

R. O. P. FOR DAIRY CATTLE

The Twenty-second Annual Report of the Canadian Record of Performance for Dairy Cattle is now ready for distribution by the Publications Branch of the Dominion Department of Agriculture. The report contains not only the individual records of animals entered in the scheme but complete information with respect to regulations and standards, and a list of owners. It contains information of special interest to farmers and dairymen who are striving to improve the standard of their herds, and is available without charge, application to the Publications Branch.

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CAMDEN EAST

The Public School pupils here gave their Christmas concert at the school on Friday. The teachers have returned to their homes for the holidays.—The Sunday School concert will be held in the United Church Hall on Christmas Eve, December 24th.—Mrs. John McGarry returned to her home here after spending three months at Port Colborne with her husband, who has a position there.— Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Sherlock returned to their home at Killarney, Man., after spending some time with the former's mother, who passed away on December 3rd, at the age of 90 years.—Mrs. O. Wasson returned to her mother's home here, on Thursday, from Kingston General Hospital, much improved in health.— Mrs. George Black spent Wednesday at Newburgh with relatives.— A number from here attended the play at the Parish Hall on Thursday night and report it a success.—Mr. H. R. Histed and daughter, Vera, of Deseronto, spent Sunday last with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Histed.—We are sorry to hear that Mr. Norman Blakely is laid up with a lame back. A speedy recovery is hoped for.—Mr. William Kerr, of Petworth, spent Saturday afternoon with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Histed.—Mrs. L. D. Williams has installed a new radio.—Mrs. Watson, of Harrowsmith, was a Sunday guest at the home of Mrs. Ethel Saul.— Mr. and Mrs. Ogden Hinch visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Hinch, Bethel Street, recently. — Mrs. Victor Edgar spent a day with her mother, Mrs. Alva Boulton, Bickmell's Corners, last week. — Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Histed and daughter, Lelia, of Deseronto, took tea with Mr. and Mrs. Percy Histed on Sunday last.—Mr. and Mrs. W. Hawley, of Napanee, spent last week with his mother, Mrs. B. Hawley, and brother, Earl.—The W. M. S. held their regular meeting on December 17th, at the home of Mrs. L. D. Williams, a large number being present. Mrs. R. Lewis, vice-president, took charge, in the absence of our dearly beloved President, Mrs. Ellen Sherlock, who passed away on December 3rd, at her home here. After the opening exercises, the general business was transacted. The Rev. T. H. P. Anderson conducted the election of officers for the year 1931 as follows:— President, Mrs. Robert Lewis; Vice-President, Mrs. Albert Lewis; 2nd Vice-President, Miss Alice Williams; Treasurer, Mrs. Charles Histed; Recording Secretary, Mrs. Edith Allenbrack; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Percy Allenbrack; Secretary of Christian Stewardship and Finance, Mrs. Fred Snider; Stranger Secretary, Mrs. D. B. Amey; Mite Box Secretary, Mrs. W. Stewart; Press Secretary, Miss P. Williams; Temperance Secretary, Mrs. A. Dickson. At the close refreshments were served by the committee and hostess.

PAINTS — PAINTS!

Paints, oils, glass and putty. Glazing done at the store.—Wilson's Hardware.

DORLAND

The pleasant weather continues and the roads are in good condition for the season. Hay Bay is frozen over, but unless it breaks up again it is not likely to be treacherous as it is full of, crist-cross cracks.— A very interesting meeting of the W. M. S. was held at the home of Mrs. J. A. Humphrey on Thursday afternoon. The members of the Missionary Band were the guests of the Auxiliary, and contributed two very pleasing numbers on the program. The different public schools closed on Friday for the Christmas holidays.

RADIOS! RADIOS!

1 Majestic Radio, 1929-1930 Model, at a money saving price—no trade in.
1 Used Majestic Radio.
1 Battery Charger.
2 Trickle Chargers.
—Wilson's Hardware.

Prof. J. O. Watts at the Forum on Sunday afternoon.

ONTARIO ARCHIVES
TORONTO

RELIEF SCHEMES PROVIDE TEMPORARY WORK FOR 125,000

The joint unemployment relief scheme of the Federal and Provincial governments has provided work for approximately 125,000 people. Returns for six provinces show 94,712 individuals employed according to a statement issued by Senator G. D. Robertson, Minister of Labor. The three provinces which are not reported are Quebec, Saskatchewan and Alberta and it is estimated that approximately 40,000 men have been found employment there.

Contracts have been entered into between the Federal and the Provincial governments, the municipalities and the Canadian National and Canadian Pacific Railway companies calling for the expenditure of $60,019,192 to relieve distress conditions.

The Federal Parliament appropriated $20,000,000 at the special session of Parliament as its share in the scheme and $11,035,192 has been designated for specific works. This left a balance in the fund of $8,964,808 to make part of the Federal Government's share in provincial and municipal undertakings.

In Ontario 34,000 men have been given employment; the total number of man-days work estimated at 3,340,000. Practically none of the men to whom work has been given is working full time. The systems of rotation have been used, one, a six-day work period and the other a three-day work period. There is the lay-off being the same length as that of employment.

The Canadian Pacific Railway reported to the Minister that 1,132 men had been given employment under the special relief scheme the number of man-days work being 106,763. The Canadian National Railways engaged 2,000 men and the number o man-day's work amounted to 47,410.

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MAKING A FISH AQUARIUM

Though the round fish globe is the kind usually found in the average home, the rectangular tank with straight sides is the more suitable. An aquarium of this type can be easily made. For instance, if a tank of five gallons water capacity is desired, the dimensions will be approximately four inches long, eight inches wide and ten inches high. Angles of brass or iron, as desired, are obtained of the proper dimensions and riveted or welded together. For an aquarium of this size, aquarium glass or ordinary double thick window glass will answer for the sides while a piece of heavy plate glass or tile can be used for the bottom. The large aquarium can then be mounted on a hardwood board. It is always a good policy to put a strip of glass, about one-half inch wide, around the inside corner of the aquarium as this will aid in strengthening the aquarium and also in making a tight joint. The triangular space formed by this strip of glass should be filled with a waterproof cement. A cement which has been successfully used by the Bureau of Fisheries is composed of one part litharge, two parts dry plaster of paris, one part of red lead and one part litharge. Enough of this powder is mixed with boiled linseed oil and a few drops of white zinc paint to make a stiff putty. This is then added to change the color from red to slate. After the cement has been applied it should be allowed to dry thoroughly before any water is placed in the aquarium.

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MUSSOLINI CUTS CANADA'S EXPORTS

"The preliminary" figures for the trade of the first seven months of 1930 as compared with last year's trade between Canada and Italy have been prepared by A. B. Muddiman, Canadian Trade Commissioner, and are as follows:—

Imports into Italy from Canada for the first seven months, January to July in 1930, were valued at 380,563,939 lire, (.$20,029,789) as against 599,196,727 lire (.$31,536,669) in 1929; exports into Italy from Canada at 42,709,790 lire, (.$2,247,883) as compared with 38,867,266 lire, (.$2,045,645). Thus it will be seen that imports into Italy from Canada have fallen off during this period by approximately 37 per cent, (218,630,788 lire or $11,506,883) as compared with the corresponding period of 1929, while exports to Canada from Italy have gained 3,842,530 lire ($202,238) or approximately 10 per cent.

It is interesting to note that this marked falling off in shipments into Italy is true not only of Canada but also of other countries. For example, imports into Italy from the United States for the first seven months of 1929 amounted to 2,529,758,822 lire, or ($133,145,201), while for the first seven months of this year they amounted to 1,908,543,500, (.$100,454,921), showing a decrease of 621,115,322 lire, ($32,690,280), or 24.5 per cent.

Strangled With Asthma is the only expression that seems to convey what is endured by the victim of this trouble. The relief from Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy is beyond measure. Where it was suffering there comes comfort and rest. Breathing becomes normal and the bronchial tubes completely cleared. This unequalled remedy is worth many times its price to all who use it.

Why Dad Leave Home. The haggard looking man just in from the Klondike with the happy, carefree bachelor on their train journey to the north.

"Yes," said the former, "I'm the father of six daughters."

"Then you and your wife have six months to feed," replied the bachelor. Haggard-face shook his head.

"No, we have twelve," he returned, "They are all married." — Answers, (London.)

CAN FORETELL QUAKES

SOUNDING ALARM OF WORLD CATASTROPHES

Scientists Can Now Tell When and Where Terrestrial Upheavals Will Take Place—Danger to Mankind Being Checked

The scientific world is meeting the challenge of the earthquake, according to a writer in TR-Ists. Measures are being taken to prevent the great catastrophes which, from time to time, of terrestrial upheavals, and science has actually gone so far in discovery as to anticipate nature's very moods. It is now possible to tell when and where an earthquake is going to happen.

Three men were seated round a flat table in the centre of the "wharf" room when I entered. Charts and maps and papers filled them. Figures and strange cabalistic signs were spread before them. Their heads were bent as they pored over their papers. Occasionally one of them paused and walked over to a mammoth globe standing alongside the table, and with a pair of dividers made a small arc.

At last the door opened and a messenger entered, in his hand was a single sheet of paper which he gave to one of the men at the table. The latter glanced at it.

"All right," he said, sliding it across the table, "here's the report from Osaka. Do your stuff and we'll see what the answer is."

The messenger took the paper, made some rapid calculations, and stepped over to the globe. He placed his dividers, made another arc on the map, and stepped back smiling.

"I make it just about five kilometers southeast of Irkutskvorod," he said.

"Did you check all your equations? How does that meet our preliminary findings?"

"They all check, Chief," replied the younger man, "and it's within ten kilometres of our orient finding."

"Fine," replied the man who reased as chief. He picked up a telephone: "Hello, Oscar? Make it five kilometres southeast of Irkutskvorod, near the Siberian Manchurian border. Expected within seventy-two hours. Got it? Remember, flash it to all European countries and give it to all newspaper who service us."

The next morning newspapers carried stories of the following like this:—

"An earthquake of the second magnitude will probably manifest itself in southern Siberia between ten and ten-thirty this seventy-two hours. The exact centre of the disturbance is placed at five kilometres southeast of the village of Irkutskvorod.

"Irkutskvorod is one of the smaller cities along the route of the trans-Siberian Railway. According to latest figures it has a population of 6,739.

"Local authorities notified by Moscow, have already made plans for the temporary evacuation of the city in order to avoid any needless loss of life. Rehabilitation forces are being held in readiness to go to the relief of the city as soon as the shocks are felt.

"Two days later telegraphic reports from Siberia told of the earthquake. It had practically razed the town of Irkutskvorod, where building had been unable to stand the strain of the tremors. But not a single life had been lost. The populace had been moved ten kilometres to the north and were safely housed in tents.

How were the seismographic experts able to forecast the time of the quake? It is a long story of research and painstaking development of instruments and equipment, years of checking and rechecking scientific data. But the geologists and seismologists had worked carefully and had attained their goal.

It is all seismographic stations throughout the world, the most important instruments are the thermal indicator and the strictometer. The former records the temperature of the earth at various depths. Earthquakes are caused, in general by the cooling and shrinking of the earth's surface, this shrinkage causing a strain on the lower strata of rock formations. Eventually, the strain, plus the pull of gravity, means smoothing must give way. When it does, there is a quake.

With the strictometer the scientists can tell just how much strain exists on every strata and, through years of accumulating data, they can tell how much strain a strata of a given consistency and formation can stand.

The seismographs and seismometers, the first earthquake - record ing instruments evolved, are a record of the smallest vibrations of the earth.

And so the readings from all these instruments, plus certain earth surface manifestations, such as baths and earth conditions as interpreted by geologists, are gathered together and assessed on a map. Thus are the very heart-beats of the earth of ours watched by men of science.

To the Japanese belongs credit for advanced scientific measures to reduce loss of life damage to earthquakes. An important discovery of the Japanese was that the ground in their country lifted appreciably before the occurrence of an earthquake. So they developed an instrument called the tiltometer, which gives warning of this tipping.

The association of volcanic eruptions with earthquakes is a matter to which scientists have devoted considerable study. Japan is a volcanic country, and volcanoes are found in many earthquake zones. But volcanoes have not been accepted as the cause of earthquakes. The theory that earth movements beneath volcanic mountains are contributory to eruptions is more widely received.

Yet steps have been taken to offset this destructive power of nature, and it is reassuring to know that the danger to mankind is being lessened.

Warm Stars.

The hottest stars have a surface temperature of 41,000 degrees Fahrenheit.

A pessimist is a chap who is seasick on the voyage of life.

Even the Wolf Feels Pity's Pangs. Poet Pete: "Burglars broke into my house last night."

Friend: "Yes? What happened?"

Poet Pete: "They searched through every room, then left a five dollar bill on my bureau." — Pathfinder.

Miscellaneous Column

RIGHT LIVING

Doing an injury put you below your enemy; revenging one makes you but even with him; forgiving it sets you above him . . . Be civil to all; sociable to many; familiar with few; friend to one; enemy to none.

A NEW YEAR ADVENTURE

Another New Year is almost with us. May it prove a happy one to us all. Or can all make the New Year worth while if we only set about doing it in the right way. We can use it to our profit if we will make up our minds to get rid of a lot of useless encumbrances that, weed-like, are hindering our mental growth and development.

I used to make New Year resolutions when I was younger, but not yet, as far as that goes—but not in quite the same way. I give them a little more consideration now, for I find that promises rashly made are easily forgotten. Many of us are apt to be carried away with a sudden conversion from old faults, and imagine that we immediately become new creatures, and endowed with angelic attributes. But we don't. We've got to do something more than merely make promises. We've got to dump overboard all the old grievances and estrangements and selfishness and foolish ways and replace them with sympathetic and considerate understanding and worth-while friendships. Then with love and kindness and good cheer in our hearts, with a smile and a song on our lips, with courage to help over the rough spots, may we press onward with new clean hopes and high resolutions to find the coming New Year one wonderful glorious adventure.

RAILWAY WEATHER

CHRISTMAS WEATHER

If I wear a bear,
And a big bear, too,
I shouldn't much care
If it froze or snew—

If I were equip
'Dike the walrus is,
I'd not give a rip
If it snew or frizz.

If I could grow hair
Like the raccoon does,
Oh, I wouldn't stir
Though it snewed or cruz.

If I, like the moose,
Were equipped with horn though nude,
I would be quite spruce
When it friz or snewed.

What makes peace among neighbors makes peace among nations; namely, larger tolerance for others, and a more critical analysis of ourselves. Easy it is to condemn war in general as stupid, unnecessary and beastly. But in a specific instance, how much harder it is to stand boldly forth and be for the things that make peace!

GOLF

Golf is like philosophy, the more you study it, the less you are sure of knowing.

Described in a few words, golf consists of poking a globule from one point to another through a series of ditches, excavations—neglected orchards and ill-situated frog-ponds.

The winner is the chap who uses the least number of strokes and the greatest amount of profanity.

Golf and baseball have one thing in common. A player starts and finishes in the same place. In baseball, it's called "home plate," in golf "the 19th hole."

The expression "driven to drink" originally referred to teeing off for the 19th hole.

Twenty years ago, folks lived in houses and had one golf club to a community. To-day golf has set up apartments to make room for a course in every district.

They say golf makes one feel years younger. That's obvious. It's putting middle-aged men back into children's clothing.

COLD WEATHER CONTRASTS

When days are chill and cheerless
And noses red or blue,
Some folk grow fresh and fearless—
The least of these are they:
These proud, persistent praters,
These gross exaggerators,
Begin to think of skates,
Top-notchers, figure-slighters,
And Switzerland that caters
For achilles sculpted graters;
These glowing gladiators,
These rosy-cheeked creators
They hail Jack Frost, the traitors,
As prince of fascinators
Who makes their dream come true.

May such pretensions crumble!
Or be me dwell instead
With simple folk and humble
Who view such days with dread:
Who blow the kind creators,
Of mittens, muffs and gaiters,
Of furs and rubber galoshes,
Hot drinks and baked perlaters;
Who think of incubators,
Of hospitals and sanitaria
Astonish the locators
Of boiling springs and craters—
In short, the fervent haters
Of all refrigerators
The comfort cultivators
And dormouse imitators,
Who, but for rude frustraters,
Would sleep away in bed!
—Lucio, in Manchester Guardian.

MOVING ABOUT

Irene's social welfare work required frequent moves from city to city. Not much time to make friends. Too busy to write letters. She found the telephone to be a very real help, and her habit of calling home from wherever she was made her feel that she was never far away when there was a telephone at hand.

Miller's Worm Powders act mildly and without injury to the child, and are pleasant to the doctor to administer effect upon worms. They have been in successful use for a long time and are recognized as a leading preparation for the purpose. They have proved their power in numerous cases and have given relief to many children, who but for the good offices of this compound, would have continued weak and enfeebled.

A sock on the foot is worth two on jaw.

SENTIMENTALITY FAILS

Discipline and Fair Treatment Best Cure for Prisoners.

Brig.-Gen. W. St. Pierre Hughes, Dominion inspector of penitentiaries, strongly believes that a penal system based on fair right to exist unless it turns out the inmates better citizens than when they arrived. This does not mean, however, that he approves of sloppy sentimentalism. Far from it.

Speaking of his experiences recently in visiting institutions Western Canada, Gen. Hughes threw some interesting sidelights on the well-meaning but misdirected efforts of those who would reform convicts by moral suasion and physiological uplift. This has been connected with penitentiary work for nearly forty years and the longer he stays at it the more convinced he becomes that discipline and fair treatment are the only methods worth while when dealing with the sub-strata of society.

"A few years ago," says Gen. Hughes, in describing conditions, "a wave of what can only be described as sloppy sentimentalism swept over the country. Men and women—but chiefly women—of the better classes established a standing and high reputation made such vociferous efforts on behalf of the convicts that we were able to keep them from visiting our jails and penitentiaries. They did not exactly in droves, but very nearly. What they didn't think they knew about psychology and criminal indications wasn't worth mentioning.

"I remember one occasion, backed by a celebrated Ontario professor's wife, that showed unabated zeal over a considerable period. Eventually, however, they came a sad cropper. The committee had been making a tour of an eastern institution, making wise observations and taking copious notes, when the leader happened to notice a small building a little apart.

"'Who's in there?" she asked the guide.

"'Three women,' answered that worthy, solemnly. 'I don't think they'd interest you, madame.'

"'Indeed, indeed,' said the leader of the group, her eyebrows going up in rebuke, 'I will look at them through the window.'

"She did, and saw one elderly woman and three younger ones playing cards over a bench. They were plainly dressed, but not in prison garb.

"That lady's glasses was enough. The leader summoned her faithful followers, and, with the guide in front through the window. Then, in a body, they sought out the warden.

"'Who are those women in the small room?' asked the professor's wife. 'Why don't there a guard with them? They are the perfect criminal types.'

"The warden managed to gasp that he'd never noticed this and then invited the psychologists to meet the 'perfect criminals.' They agreed, and he led the way to the small building. Then he hastened them to—his wife and daughters!

"That was the last time this particular group of reformers visited that penitentiary."

POOLS FOR ARGENTINE.

To Buy Living Needs, Farm Implements and Supplies.

Argentine grain growers are organizing pools to buy on the central purpose to that of the Canadian pools, stated Reuben Saskovsky, general manager of the Canadian Louis Dreyfus & Co., grain importers and exporters, who is in Winnipeg studying Canadian methods. The farmers of the Argentine do not have Government insurance in the selling of their crops, nor are they favorable to pool selling, said Mr. Saskovsky, but their purpose in organizing their pools is to buy their own goods, farm implements and supplies co-operatively, and thus more economically. The pools, however, will do not go into the domestic trade.

The Argentine world markets will not be restricted in any way, and the farmers will continue to follow their accustomed way of getting their grain out of the country just as quickly as they can.

White Rhinoceros Scarce.

The white rhinoceros is a rare creature in Uganda, found only in the West Nile District, and the Game Warden believes that no more than six are left each year. The Uganda Government has forbidden hunters to kill them, but many sportsmen and men have tried to get specimens, and if they have been found out have pleaded self-defence. Now the Government has announced that it will not accept that excuse any more.

The white rhinoceros is a quiet, inoffensive creature until he is annoyed. It is hardly ever the first to charge him he will charge, no doubt, but they must take the consequences. Should they kill one they may be heavily fined, go to prison for six months, and lose their game licenses.

Fishing In Nigeria.

In some parts of Nigeria the natives erect series of fish traps, which, supported by poles, in the middle of the stream. In the centre of this set a seat, from which he feeds the unwary fish that enter the net through a solitary large opening.

When the fish have grown accustomed to the netted portion of the river the native quickly closes the door, the catch is achieved by the simple process of lowering the sides of the net and carrying it to the bank.

That such a contrivance is successful is evidenced from the many colonies of fisherman's huts dotted about the banks of the River Benue.

Medals for Composers.

Four composers of American opera recently received the Edward MacDowell Memorial Medal of the American Opera Society of Chicago. The composers and their works are: Mary Carr Moore, "Cest of Empire," or "Sherwood"; Charles S. Skilton, "Kolophin"; Karl Schmidt, "Lady of the Lake" and Pietro Floridia, "Paoletta." The awards of these four medals will make a total of thirty-three since the establishment of the award in 1922.

BUFFALO RESERVES

The herd of 10,000 buffalo in Wood Buffalo Park, near Fort Smith, N.W.T. is made up of the 1,500 wood buffalo for which the reserve was originally set aside; the 6,673 animals shipped from Wainwright, Alberta, and from the increase from those animals which are thriving exceedingly.

CARE FOR OYSTERS.

Designed to Prevent Newly-Hatched Spats From Swimming Away.

Though the oyster is not exactly ferocious, it has been found necessary to destroy cages for him. The reason for this is that the young oyster is such an irresponsible little fellow.

Microscopic in size, the newly-hatched oyster—or spat, as he is called—is able to swim about quite freely. Not for some time does he drop to the bottom and anchor himself to a stone. And of he happens to drop on a piece where there are no stones, he is at the mercy of currents and tides which sweep him out to sea, where all kinds of enemies are waiting for him.

Oysters and oyster beds are now making use of cages which look rather like egg-boxes. These contain hundreds of cardboard partitions which are dipped in a special concentrate of cement. They are then placed on the beds, and when the oyster spat falls they promptly fix on the resting place provided. As many as 1,500 oysterlets have been found attached to one compartment of a box, and as there are twenty-five compartments in each the total number may be considerable.

At the end of a certain number of days the cement dissolves and the young oyster is able to detach himself and sit down permanently upon something solid in the neighborhood.

A MILLION HOUSE-POWER.

Building Dam 700 Feet High and 900 Feet Wide.

A huge new dam is being erected in the United States to provide the wheels of industry with a million horse-power.

The Colorado river passes through the Grand Canyon in Arizona. Following the line of the earth's crust it is 277 miles long and in some places twelve miles wide and 6,000 feet deep. At a point where the gorge narrows to a little over 200 feet a dam is to be built 700 feet high and 900 feet wide at the bottom. It will cost $165,000,000, and ten years will be required to build it.

The preparations for the work are tremendous. A town is being built to house a population of 5,000 workers, where a new branch railway thirty miles in length is being constructed.

To make the dam nearly 5,000,000 cubic yards of soil and rock must be removed, and for the building 5,500,000 barrels of cement, 28,000,000 pounds of steel, 35,000,000 feet of piping and miscellaneous metal, 30,000,000 pounds of gates and valves, 50,000,000 pounds of electrical equipment, and 16,000,000 pounds of machinery will be required. Some 7,000,000 tons of gravel and sand will have to be transported from the diggings to the concrete-making plant.

JAPAN'S CHRISTIANS.

Combined Membership of 172,000 of Protestant Missions.

Seventeen hundred churches, 300 of them self-supporting, with a total membership of 172,000 is the accomplishment of Protestant mission in Japan to date.

But there are more non-Christians in Japan to-day than when the first missionaries came. Then the population was 30,000,000, to-day it exceeds 60,000,000. Of these numerically untouched groups are to be classified 36,000 farmers, 2,500,000 fishers, 400,000 seamen, 1,000,000 miners, of whom 83,000 are women, 1,000,000 factory hands, 1,000,000 lepresses and added millions in other groups.

Japan is the most adult of all the Eastern nations in the record of development. More than 99 per cent. of the people can read. Japan wishes to stand high in the respect of other nations.

Although the number of publicly professed Christians is comparatively small, Christianity has now definitely recognized as one of the religions of Japan, and it holds an equal place with Shintoism and Buddhism.

A Confirmed Optimist.

Miss Marie Lohr, the famous actress, during a discussion as to the present gloom in the theatrical profession remarked that she was a confirmed optimist regarding the future of the drama.

"What exactly do you mean by a confirmed optimist?" queried a friend.

"Well," replied Miss Lohr, "there was once a bald-headed man who went into a chemist's shop for a bottle of hair restorer.

"'Yes, sir,' said the chemist, 'Here is a preparation that we can confidently recommend.'

"'All right,' answered the hairless customer, 'I'll take a bottle. And mind you, if it does not grow on with it.'"

"Yes," said Miss Lohr, "I should call that man a confirmed optimist."

Rockets May Displace Cannon.

Skyrockets instead of cannon may be used in future wars, if experiments in Prussian fortresses are successful. They are making use of a kind of a method of propelling explosives according to the principle employed in firing cannon. Skyrockets are easily transported and can be loaded in a crate as one by loading in the ordinary charge. Such rockets would contain gases, powerful five, shrapnel or smoke-producers.

Why the "Spats."

Some have asked why certain Scottish soldiers wear spats. Spats were issued first to the Black Watch to commemorate their endurance during the march to Corrunna. Destitute and continually assailed by the enemy, the exhausted Highlanders marched through the mountainous roads. Boots wore down and shirts were torn into strips to bind their lacerated feet. So originated spats.

Lime.

Limes, the stable fruit crop of Dominica, the British West Indian Island, fell to the ground when ripe, that the oldest negroes can remember, so select the fruit under the trees.

The cheapness of Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator puts it within reach of all, and it can be got at any druggist's.

Get a Shotgun, Mother: "If that young man asks for a kiss, refuse it." Daughter: "And if he doesn't ask for it?"—Travaso, (Rome).

HAPPY CHRISTMAS

(By William Lyon Phelps, in The New York Evening Post)

Out of the manger at Bethlehem flowed an impulse in religion, morals, art, literature, music, that has by no means reached its flood. It is daily productive. No other event in history has had anything like a germinal influence. Christian organizations, works of charity, cathedrals, immortal paintings, poetry in all languages, oratorio year after year, have all been due to the far-flung wave of influence.

For most children and for many men and women, Christmas is the happiest day of the year. As the good news first came on that day, we naturally and properly celebrate it by universal mirth and family happiness.

In looking back over the history of the world it is difficult to find a better "psychological movement" for the education of the Divine Child. The Roman Empire had in it the seeds of decay and was ripening to ruin for the world; the Roman religion was played out: many of the best men were skeptics, as they should be when religion is not an elevating force. General skepticism in religion was followed by general skepticism in morals. The corruption of politics in Rome was great. Into the midst of this social order, Ideas followed the gods into the twilight.

In that weary and degenerate age Jesus Christ was born. Listen to G. K. Chesterton:

There fared a mother driven forth
Out of an inn to roam;
In the place where she was homeless
All men are at home.
The crazy stable closed at hand,
With shaking timber and shifting sand,
Grew a stronger thing to abide and stand
Than the square stones of Rome.

Practically all the English poetry, both medieval and modern, which deals with Christmas pays considerable attention to the weather. It is usually represented as bitter cold, with deep snow on the ground. These writers simply ignore the fact that the Palestine December was like that in higher latitudes. The old mystery drama known as "The Second Shepherds' Play" opens with the shepherds entering upon the scene, half frozen; they are blowing their fingers and saying: "Lord! but this weather is cold!"

Milton, in his great ode on the nativity, and Christina Rossetti, in her lovely Christmas carol, emphasize the snow. But St. Luke, the first writer who told the charming story of the shepherds, places them in the fields keeping watch over their flocks by night. It would seem then that the first Christmas evening must have been mild, as it frequently is in the Holy Land. It is possibly significant that Jesus, who in his talks made many references to clouds and rain, never mentioned snow; although in the Old Testament a famous athlete killed a lion on a snowy day.

The story of the shepherds seemed particularly to appeal to the writers of biblical plays in medieval England, perhaps because they wanted "local color" for their scenes. The better known and it is certain that among the actors and in the audience were shepherds. These old dramatists were realists; they cared nothing for the gifts of the three Kings—a casket and a babe do with gold, frankincense and myrrh?) Thus the medieval shepherd-actors who had themselves left a baby at home gave the Divine Infant the things that would please a little child. They first saluted Him with a lively and crude herdsmen. "Hail! little tiny mop! A bird have I brought to my hand. Hail! sweet is thy face! My heart would bleed to see thee here in such shabby clothes and such poor bedding." Then to him a tennis ball, a tin bell, a little spruce box, a bottle, a cluster of cherries, a shepherd's pipe, a suit on a ribbon, a horn spoon, a cap and a pair of mittens.

Charles Dickens did more to bring back the old spirit of Christmas than any other man; and it is interesting to see that G. K. Chesterton, after calling Dickens's "Christmas Carol" by the unexpected name of "The Happy Howl," comments on it as follows:

The beauty and the real blessing of the story do not lie in the mechanical plot of it, the repentance of Scrooge, probable or improbable; they lie in the great forces at work behind everything, the glows through Scrooge and everything around him; that great furnace, the heart of Dickens. Whether the ordinary visions would or would not come to Scrooge they convey us. Whether or not the visions were evoked by real Spirits of the Past, Present and Future, they undoubtedly were. The whole exalted order of angels who are correctly called High Spirits . . . The Christmas Carol is the end of the happy man going home, and, like a happy child, good man, when it cannot sing, it yells.

Of all the modern poetry called forth by Christmas, my favorite is "A Christmas Carol," by Christina Rossetti.

In the bleak mid-winter
Frosty wind made moan,
Earth stood hard as iron,
Water like a stone;
Snow hall fallen, snow on snow,
Snow on snow,
In the bleak mid-winter
Long ago.

Our God, Heaven cannot hold Him
Nor earth sustain;
Heaven and earth shall flee away
When He comes to reign;
In the bleak mid-winter
A stable-place sufficed
The Lord God Almighty
Jesus Christ.

Angels and archangels
May have gathered there
Cherubim and seraphim
Thronged the air;
But only His Mother
In the bleak mid-winter
Worshipped the Beloved
With a kiss.

What can I give Him,
Poor as I am?
If I were a shepherd
I would bring a lamb,
If I were a Wise Man
I would do my part,—
Yet what I can, I give Him,
Give my heart.

What do colds do when they are caught?

These Golden Times. "I can't think why they make so much fuss about Miss Smith's voice. Miss Jones has a much richer voice."

Yes, but Miss Smith has a much richer father."—Boen Humor (Madrid).

MONKEYS TEASE SNAKE.

Traveller Tells of Battle Royal between Snake and Monkeys.

"The fight of a snake surrounded by monkeys on the rampage was a traveller in India, "made me think from my cycle. I have heard and about monkey pranks by old natives, my curiosity was aroused. The chance was given a prisoner in the hands of monkeys. A battle royal was on. The snake tried its best to escape from the clutches of the monkeys, perhaps, it also knew the game. Strife. Though the monkeys had dragged back a bit at the rear of the snake, yet the snake was getting pulled up by the pranks of the monkeys in the rear. The snake made a last rallies to no purpose.

"After an hour, due to abstraction, it lay down to all appearances dead. Even then it was one so quarter. In the twinkling of an eye six Jumped on monkey and the neck of the snake, while two held the and the snake automatically coiled up round it. It was a monkey fight indeed. Every monkey bent on a monkey with the aim of killing it. After a time they all left the snake, and the snake got up and walked off, feeling that it had had enough for an hour and a half. It would not longer, I would say, but as my return I was told that the snake was left dead from the hand of the monkeys. The snake was dead, but the manufacturer who christened it monkey-wrench was a fool!"

THE SIAMESE CAT.

So Superior to Other Cats as to Make Them Contemptible.

The fashion of the moment is a Siamese cat. Own a Siamese kitten and you are at once one of the elite.

Siamese cat, it is declared, is so superior to other cats as to make them contemptible. It is also exceptionally at once courageous and affectionate, loyal and reliable, lightens and keeps makers. Like does, they develop affection for one person, and will follow that person around everywhere, pining in their absence. Even the mode of speech is different from that of other cats, for a Siamese cat does not "meow"; it purrles like a kitten. Their coloring is beautiful and soft, glowing fawn shade, with dark sepia markings. Their eyes are of a solid, sapphire blue, and their fur fine and silky. Siamese kittens are all born pure white, but darken as the grow older. A good Siamese kitten is worth from about twenty to fifty guineas, and more when they grow up.

Originally the Siamese cat was a distinct breed, reserved exclusively for the benefit of royalty in Siam, and not as a pet for commoners. In course of time, however, they became a some measure for its peculiarities of character.

The King of Siam recently presented a decree that no more cats should be exported, and this has added to their value.

LITTLE GREEN LIZARD.

Maoris Were Universally Afraid of This Reptile.

There has been seen added to the Waimanui Museum, New Zealand a little green lizard (tuatchine gravi) which is the only one of its kind existing so far Waimanui museum. Hundreds of these lizards were once in actually purchase previously refused.

A lady who has been living for many being carried to the museum in a wooden box. Attention, on account of the animal's fierce appearance, was drawn to it by Sir Walter Barlow before the New Zealand Institute a few years ago.

The Maoris were universally afraid of the tiny reptile, which ends in a terrible sting with a tail of hair-like fibre. It is said by the natives, on both sides of the Tasman Sea, that the sting is one enough to terrify the bravest warrior and its power for evil was a standing joke among the Maoris all over the country.

Sir George Grey, in his "Account of the Customs of the Aborigines of the New Zealand Race," published in the 1840-50," stated: "I have seen with my own eyes the dreadful effects of the state of the most abject fright and even take to the water when the little green lizard has been placed on the body of a common green lizard in his hand."

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A Dog's Life.

The latest thing in homes for stray dogs has been built in Chicago by a woman who is devoted to animals. It is a two-storey building, with central heating, a veterinary surgeon in attendance, and cold and hot water. The attendants are always on duty. The home when full will accommodation for 150 dogs.

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ONTARIO ARCHIVES
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TRANSCONTINENTAL BROADCAST MARKS SEVEN YEARS FOR WORLD PIONEER IN RADIO ON RAILWAY

On New Year's night, the Canadian National Railway system, pioneer railway in the world to build up a chain of broadcasting stations, will celebrate the seventh anniversary of its service to unseen listeners. The event will be marked by a concert, broadcast from coast to coast through sixteen Canadian National and associated stations from one end of Canada to the other.

Sir Henry W. Thornton, Chairman and President of the Railway, will deliver a short address, and W. J. Kelly, Vice-President, who has jurisdiction over the radio activities of the system as well as over other departments, will speak briefly in French.

It is not easy for a railway president to realize personal contact with his hundred thousand employees, but every year Sir Henry delights in the opportunity he has of addressing directly the members of what he calls his "family" in all corners of Canada. His voice will be heard in greeting by officers in Halifax as well as Vancouver, by section workers along the line in Manitoba, by agents at lonely outposts in the woods of Quebec and Ontario, and by tens of thousands of others, no matter what department under the radio activities of the company he or she is theirs or whether they live under Atlantic Time, Eastern, Central, Mountain or Pacific Time.

The orchestra will be conducted by J. J. Gagnier, well-known Montreal musician, and the soloists will be Joan Elwes, the celebrated English soprano, and Henri Pontbriand, tenor, who has a high reputation in both Europe and the United States.

Sir Henry Thornton, seated in front of the microphone, is shown above on the left. Joan Elwes is on the upper right, and the other two photographs are, left to right, Henri Pontbriand and J. J. Gagnier.

EXPLORER'S PLAQUE.

Found In Garden of High Park Home, Toronto.

Placed nearly 200 years ago in token that this area belonged to "the most illustrious Louis, King of France," a lead plaque has been unearthed by Douglas Patterson, who was digging in the garden of his home at 143 High Park avenue, Toronto, when the interesting find was discovered under three feet of earth.

The discovery marks the first authentic evidence that La Verendrye, noted French explorer, once passed through this country and probably sailed the waters of Lake Humber while proceeding westward in search of a practicable route to the western sea.

According to Prof. H. M. Wrong, noted Canadian historian, the words on these plaques were stamped by La Verendrye and posted at various points during his many expeditions.

The Latin inscription on the plaque may be translated as "Placed in the twenty-ninth year of the reign of Louis the Fifteenth, for the most illustrious king and the Marquis of Baurharnois, 1742, Pierre Gaultier de la Verendrye." A piece of parchment scratched memorandum stating that the plaque was posted on May 29, 1742, a date which would coincide with the open nature of the Humber river at that season.

PRETTY BUT DANGEROUS.

London Zoo Receives Several Gila Monsters.

Several Gila monsters have been received at the London Zoo. Though by no means monstrous in size, the largest being only about 2 feet 6 inches in length, they are dangerous creatures, because they are highly poisonous, and are, indeed, the only lizards in the world that possess a sac, or pocket, in which poison forms.

The coloring of these Gila Monsters is very striking, being a bright yellowish-pink, or orange, and mottled with densest black, and their skin looks as though it were covered with millions of small raised bead-like lumps, so that it looks almost exactly like a lady's beaded bag.

As in the poisonous snakes, these lizards have grooved teeth in the lower jaw and at the root of each carries the poison pocket. When the reptile bites, the poison from this pocket runs down the grooved teeth into the wound in such quantities that it will cause death unless promptly attended to. It is because of their poisonous bites and the spirited way they handle these lizards have earned their name of "monster," but, all the same, they are pretty to look at, with their smart beaded skins.

CANADA GROWS SEEDS.

Cost Is Slight In Proportion to Its Actual Superiority.

The demand for registered grades of Canadian-grown seed of roots and vegetables is increasing noticeably, particularly in Ontario and Quebec, reports the Seed Branch of the Dominion Department of Agriculture.

Vegetable growers, gardeners and farmers find that the extra cost of high quality certified seed is slight in proportion to its actual superiority. Two factors make for quality in Canadian-grown seed. These are the isolation of certified seed production fields and the increasing popularity of ice-cream. Canada's exports of dairy products have declined materially and in part to the large numbers of high quality milch cows which have been sold to the United States during the past year of the country. In this connection it is noted that there were approximately 100,000 fewer good milch cows in Canada in 1928 than there were in 1927, Canadian dairymen are realizing its economic danger of its situation, however, and few sales of high grade milch cows are now reported.

Kitchen Arithmetic. Teach: "If I take a potato and divide it into two parts, then into four parts, and each of the four parts into two parts, what would I have?"

Little Emily: "Potato salad!" — Chicago Daily News.

A SAFE AND SURE REMEDY FOR AILING CHILDREN
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When Miss Verdin Roast's Pork

Miss Verdin came in from her Friday morning duties feeling rather glum. She had begun in the butcher's department selection of the right kind of meat for the week-end and, in her attitude of having to attend to, she had the sympathetic support of the butcher by commandeering a corner at the Vicarage a leg of pork for the week-end joint. She had encounter Miss Verdin interred in her chop, and showed one she had just ...ed with indignation.

"Look at that piece of it on the table, noble in its ...t cracking and halo of ...ly ornamented by the ...ssing and apple sauce, ...all the way home. Of ...se I had to tell the ...ut went back to those ...ace and tell him that ...kindled in the farm-...utting to shame with ...ed heads of ...ossing outside and ...shower of elm leaves, ...in the center, behind ...the clock, then at the ...spread, and popped ...the oven. There were ...ks, the tender green ...cream apple sauce, ...and lastly the great ...all waiting. Precisely ...family returned from ...s scampered round, ...and crying, 'Harley ...k!' Father came in ...at my girl," and com...the knife. Mother, ...professional appraisal ...a lifted eyebrow at her ...s was answered by a ...that all was well, ...as chance her dress. ...almost ceremonial eat...ill could recall exactly ...of the six faces, and ...gain her old rush of ...le sighs of satisfac...That was very like Hes...her mother.

"...were scattered all over ...arents dead, the farm ...the once competent cook ...for the family life ...though pleasant cottage, ...me colossal rakes and ...ed to be owned by her ...no more preserves, ...ast bowls of mincemeat ...small community that ...the farm life; no more ...ceremonial carving of ...chop, piece of steak ...or neck of mutton. It ...this season that she ...a piece of pork, if only ...practice of cooking all the ...ould never tolerate ...one-day of cold meat, ...not get a decent roast ...fit to three.

"...raving came over her Miss Alice all she could well afford ...Tomorrow she would call at the ...Arcadian Scout, buy a piece of pork ...and ask Miss Matthews, the schoolmistress, to share it with her. ...could explain such ...to Miss Matthews, who had a bias of sitting in silence until ...became embarrassed. Miss Verdin ...herself saying.

"Such a pity we should eat alone—two in your house, me in mine." Miss Verdin saw with horror that the ...mistress was offended. "I mean, ...nothing like Heavens! Had it ...like giving her a treat. The ...chances created abruptly as Miss Matthews said frigidly.

"Very kind of you. I'm sure, but I've already made my arrangements."

She looked significantly at a pile of ...books, and Miss Verdin had to ...and go. She walked home re...reaching herself for her folly, and the ...pea of meat and pound of apples ...ree heavier and heavier in her basket. ...But in her little kitchen the follow...g morning she was happy with that secret satisfaction of doing justice to material regardless of its ultimate object which showed her a true artist.

Almost unconsciously she popped into their pans the extra potatoes and sprouts that had been prepared for the meal for three. Then she decided it would seem ridiculous with two boiled potatoes and a couple of sprouts, and something ecstatic in lavishness. She had just carefully lifted the tender meat on to the waiting dish and was testing the potatoes with a fork, when a knock on the back door startled her.

"If say, ma'am, could you give us a bite to eat?"

"Been out all night, and golly had a bit of bread yesterday," the man continued, anxious to fill in the silence. "I'll be glad to chop wood or do any little job for you, missus."

The woman thought of her perfect meal and the grim task of cold meat to face to-morrow.

"Yes," she said, smiling, "come in. You'll want to wash your hands?"

The man stepped hesitatingly over the doorstep, glanced at his companion, then began to look doubtful again at such a cordial reception. He glanced at the appetizing pork-cutlet sink, then murmured "Here ...s could do with a wash." He took off his coat, rolled up tattered sleeves, turned in his collarless neckband and washed with much puffing face, neck, ears, and all. Miss Verdin discreetly went to lay an extra place on the table.

"Will you come this way?" she said at last.

The man followed sheepishly, but when he saw the gleaming cloth and dishes of steaming food his suspicions were aroused again.

"Here what's the idea?" he asked. "What idea?"

"Inviting me in here like this. I only asked for a bite to eat. I don't want any of your blamed charity."

"But it's not charity," said Miss Verdin, impatiently; and then at the sight of the waiting food she broke out, "My good man, for goodness' sake sit down and begin; everything's going cold."

Her guest sat down content. He knew where he was after that form of address. Miss Verdin carved the meat with exquisite precision and placed the vegetables on the plates, smiling with delight. She was surprised at the pleasure she felt in dispensing food in such a method of dispatch. Without a word she carved more of the meat and added to the pantry for bread when the vegetables were eaten. Of her small dainties she after took the minutest portion, and gazed with fascination at the disappearance of the rest. When the last crumb was scraped up the man pushed back his chair and said: "Now, where's that wood to chop?"

"But it's Sunday. You can't make a noise of chopping wood on a Sunday!" she protested.

"Why not? I'm not going away from this house until I've done something for that dinner. Reckon it was blow-out that was! No use me washing up; never was much good with pots. Now then that wood?"

Miss Verdin meekly showed him the logs that were waiting. All the time he washed up she was wincing with each blow of the axe, which desecrated the peace of Sunday after-lunch time. An hour later the man looked in and said bruskely, "Done that. Reckon you're square now," and off he stumped.

The news travelled fast, and Miss Verdin, sitting in her pleasant room, listening to the kettle on the stove, gradually coming to the boil, was roused from her reverie by a visit from the Vicar.

Just on my way back from Sunday School, Miss Verdin. I heard of your noble idea of hospitality. Yours was a real act of Christian charity."

She glared at him feeling a bit ashamed. Somehow she had never thought of it like that.

Call In a Gypsy, Customer: "What does this mean? There's a fly in the bottom of my tea-cup?"

Waitress: "How do I know? I'm a waitress not a fortune teller!"—Passing Show, (London).

WESTERN AIRPLANES SET NEW RECORDS

In the first nine months of 1930, over 380,000 pounds of mail were carried by air mail services in Canada. One half of the services operate out of Montreal. Two new services are projected. One will cover the route from Amos to Siscoe, newly settled districts in Northern Quebec, and the second from the Peace River to North Vermilion, in the Northwest Territories. The latter calls for 16 return trips during the winter and will be continued for four years. Seven 450 aircraft, flying in Canada, and the number of pilots is 717, of whom 403 are commercial pilots. Canada now has 72 air harbours.

Detailing the flights of the various air mail services, a recent report states that the Toronto-Buffalo line flew 7,600 miles in three months, from June to September 30th, 1930, and carried 14,000 pounds of mail. All scheduled trips were completed. A total of 15,800 miles was flown on the Montreal-Albany service, and the operating efficiency was stated to be 100 per cent. One hundred and thirty-seven passengers were carried in the last quarter.

Planes of the company operating out of Montreal, which has the contract for the mail service to Albany, flew 170,524 miles, carried 691 passengers and its scheduled mail efficiency was rated at 96 per cent. This firm operates the Montreal-Toronto-Detroit, the Montreal-Saint John-Moncton, the Montreal-Quebec, and the Ottawa-Montreal-Rimouski services. Exceeding the former companies in mileage, however, were the planes of a company operating out of Winnipeg. These flew 412,616 miles, carrying 5,564 passengers, 316,892 pounds of baggage and 76,572 pounds of mail. The percentage of regularity on scheduled times was rated at 97.4.

There are 21 light airplane clubs in Canada. For the nine months ended September 30th of this year, members of the organizations had flown 11,587 hours. The membership totalled 2,887. Ontario has the largest number of flying clubs, with nine; Saskatchewan has three; Nova Scotia, Manitoba and Alberta two each; Quebec, New Brunswick and British Columbia, one each.

MILK CONSUMPTION IN CANADA DOUBLES

During the past eight years, domestic milk consumption per capita has practically doubled in Canada. The Dairy and Cold Storage Branch of the Dominion Department of Agriculture attributes this increase to the growing demand of the sweet milk trade and to the increasing popularity of ice-cream. Canada's exports of dairy products have declined materially and in part to the large numbers of high quality milch cows which have been sold to the United States during the past year of the country. In this connection it is noted that there were approximately 100,000 fewer good milch cows in Canada in 1928 than there were in 1927, Canadian dairymen are realizing its economic danger of its situation, however, and few sales of high grade milch cows are now reported.

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INDIAN WOMEN FREE.

Beautiful Begum Shah Nawaz Says Purdah Does Not Enslave.

"In the west you feed the body and starve the soul; in the east we starve the body and feed the soul," says beautiful Begum Shah Nawaz, Indian woman delegate to the round table conference, told the London Daily Mail in discussing the differences and similarities between east and Indian women.

The begum, whose brilliant address to the conference recently thrilled both her Occidental and Oriental hearers, deprecated the idea that the purdah, or veiling system in India involved slavery of Indian women. "The freedom of women in England is not greater than that of many women in India," she said.

"Even women who still are in the purdah are very happy and you must not get the impression that being in purdah means being kept in a cage and tyrannized by a domineering husband. Woman's life in India is nothing like that, although there are bad husbands in India as well as in England. Many women are no longer in purdah, but those who still are, like the old system are happy enough. They are queens in their homes, not slaves."

The begum declared that Indian women were determined to make the best use of western civilization, combining it with the best in their own. "But they will never wear western dress, and I don't think that they will ever smoke in public, although many women living in purdah smoke the hookahs as their mothers and grandmothers did."

EXPERT WOOD-CARVER

MODELS OF C. J. TYZZ FOUND FAVOR

Swedish Boy, to Please Brothers and Sisters, Carved Dolls and Wooden Soldiers, Which Brought Him Fame—Now Living In Canada.

Out in the village of Verdun, on the banks of the St. Lawrence River, a middle-aged man and his seven-teen-year-old son sit in a little workshop in the back of their homes—whittling. They speak little English and seldom go out of their house, yet are quickly becoming internationally famous. The father is C. J. Tyzz, whose signed, hand-carved and hand-painted habitant figures rest in the homes of hundreds of American tourists, in many Quebec and Ontario homes and on the mantlepieces of his native Sweden. The son is Olaf Tyzz, whose wooden images are taking their places alongside those of his father.

Almost half a century ago a little Swedish boy, the eldest son of poor parents, as he played about the streets of a little Swedish village, looked upon the toys of other children—not for himself but for his little brothers and sisters who, because their parents were so poor, had no dolls or wooden soldiers of their own. The little boy had no money and was too small to go out to work for it. His parents could ill afford to take anything from their small pittance to buy toys for the kiddies. Yet he did so want to have his little brothers and sisters have some playthings of their own. So one day he borrowed his father's pocket knife, went out to the woodshed and picked up an old piece of fire wood. Hour after hour smooth, carved it into the shape of a doll and gave it to one of his brothers. And the little chap's delight with his home-made toy started Tyzz on his way to fame.

Soon his other brothers and sisters were clamoring for him to make a toy of them, and finally even the neighbors' children, much better off than the Tyzzs were, became dissatisfied with their own store-bought toys and wanted some like their playmate made. The Tyzz house quickly became transformed into a miniature toy factory. While the other fellows secured around the little village picking up odd scraps of wood, the seven-year-old would sit and ask his father made bench and, with his father's old, rusty penknife, turned out pigs and horses, dogs and cattle by the hundreds. For some of his hand-made figure he received a few cents from the other children. Most of them he did for nothing and gave them to some little chap who had not so much as the others.

But there was something about these rude, quickly - carved figures that appealed to grown-ups. It wanted lumber that made them more loved by the children than the expensive toys their fathers could afford in the stores. And finally they came to the attention of the father of one of the wealthier children. He went down to see the little workman and watched him carving out a figure of a horse while an admiring group of children stood looking on.

"Did you ever try carving models of people?" the kindly old gentleman asked the little boy.

"Oh, yes," the boy replied, "I have carved one of my father and one of my mother."

"Could you carve one of me?"

"Oh, yes, sir."

"Well, make a good one of me and I will give you a dollar for it."

The little fellow's face figure seemed like a fortune to this poor boy. He little realized that such as much as a dollar in his life, and he quickly set aside his other half-completed toys, picked up a fine stick of lumber he could find, and started on his new task. The next morning went into the rich man's house bearing his precious model carefully wrapped up in an old sheet of newspaper. Proudly he presented it to his new-found friend.

The good gentleman looked at the little figure and started to smile. Then, as he looked, his face changed. "You have my very expression. It is as good as a portrait. It is much better than I thought it would be and I will give you two dollars for it instead of one."

Word of the lad's skill quickly spread, writes Leonard L. Knott in the Toronto Star Weekly. By the time he was twelve years old he had built up a steady trade and soon his fame extended through the countryside.

Eventually Tyzz, his penny wife and two baby sons set out to seek new worlds to conquer. A few years were spent in Sweden and then to Montreal. Six months in Paris, where the artistic people of Europe set their lifetimes and Tyzz, though he started as a toy-maker, is a true artist, then back to Berlin and Vienna, across the Channel to London and finally, two and a half years ago, to Canada, where he has since resided.

Here they will remain, Mr. Tyzz told the writer. They are "new Canadians" now, the father content to spend the rest of his days carving out his figures as he looks over the blue waters of the nearby St. Lawrence, emitting by his deeds, the older son already secure in a good position in Montreal, the youngest and only son his father whittling away at his work beside him.

Mr. Tyzz travels Mr. Tyzz has concentrated upon developing in his work the rich types of each of the countries in which he has lived. In Canada it is the old French-Canadian crops alone about $150,000,000, according to Antonio Grenier, Deputy Minister of Agriculture, who adds, however, that "some fertile districts still grow hay when other crops would bring greater returns." Farming is reported to be the most profitable industry in the province, with an annual output valued at $75,000,000.

New Arts' Building.

The new Arts Building of the University of Manitoba will cost more than $416,000. It is being built of Manitoba's native tapestry limestone.

—A Christmas present, to be of the best sort, should be a continuous one. What better than a yearly subscription of the home paper. It only costs a dollar and a half in Canada and two dollars to the States. The Beaver gives the sort of news the home folk want to know. Make this a Beaver X'mas.

DO YOU EVER LISP?

Try to say these:

1. She sells sea shells.
2. The sea cousels and it suffices us.
3. Swan, swam over the sea, Swim swan, swim swan! Swan swam back again, Well swum swan!

HEAD ONCE IN DANGER.

Supreme Moment Figuratively Decided to Keep Identity a Secret.

Lord Brentford, better known by, as his former title of Sir William Joynson-Hicks—familiarly shortened to "Jix"—has the reputation of having seen one of the hardest working some secretaries Great Britain ever had. Even when he was on his holidays or spending the week-end at some country house he put in three or four hours' work every day and kept a number of couriers constantly travelling to and from London with important documents.

Because of certain unpleasant decisions which he occasionally was called upon to make the British home secretary is not at all liked by the criminal classes. In the last resort it rests with him whether a condemned murderer shall be hanged or have his sentence commuted to imprisonment for life or for a term of years.

On the occasion of an official visit to one of the great convict prisons "Jix" was going over the farm watching some of the inmates at work. One of these spoke to him softly so as not to attract the attention of the warden.

"I say, governor," he began, "is that bloke over there the 'ome secretary?"

"No, that isn't the home secretary, I'm—"

Sir William was on the point of identifying himself when the other interrupted.

"Fetch him over, then, that is!"

"How so?" he was asked.

"Because," whispered the convict, "that bloke's coming this way, and if e'd been the 'ome secretary I'd 'ave given 'im a crack over the 'ead with this spade. 'E's got it coming to 'im for sending me 'ere, 'e 'as!"

Sir William decided that it would be as well to keep his identity a secret a little longer.

MASTERED SIX TONGUES.

Prince Speaks French, German, Danish, Spanish and Italian.

The Prince of Wales speaks at least six languages.

This is just one sidelight on his characteristic of thoroughness. He has visited nearly every country in the world, and with it has found time to gain at least a little knowledge of the tongue.

He is fluent in French. His German is good, though possibly not so fluent as his French, and he learned enough Danish from his grandmother, Queen Alexandra, to be quite at home in that tongue. Recently he surprised an audience at the Spanish Society banquet on the Piestad de la Plaza, by making his speech in Spanish.

In Italy he quickly acquired a working knowledge of the tongue.

The prince was amused by some of the compliments he heard in the United States, and is stated to have declared that he had the time he would very much like to learn to speak American.

He has received lessons in Welsh from Lloyd George, and it has been said that he can read the Welsh words of Gaelic, although he has never yet addressed a gathering of Scots in that difficult language.

AGAIN ON THE MOVE.

Three Thousand Reindeer Moving Toward Mackenzie Delta.

The herd of 3,000 reindeer purchased by the Canadian Government from an American corporation in Alaska in 1929 has resumed its journey eastward towards Kittagazuit, in the delta of the Mackenzie river, Northwest Territories of Canada. The reindeer began the 1,000 - mile trek from Nulato district in Western Alaska to Kittagazuit in December, 1929, but were forced to stop in Alaska, for the summer season. It is expected the herd will reach its destination in the spring of 1931.

This herd has been purchased to be the nucleus of an additional food supply for the Eskimos living in the extreme northern area of Canada. Preparations for the reception of the reindeer have been going forward rapidly. The timber and lumber for the buildings, corrals, and other equipment have been moved to the delta, and now the 15,000 square mile meage east of the Mackenzie delta and everything will be in readiness when the reindeer arrive.

FORTY CENTURIES AGO.

One-Way Traffic Was In Use Nearly 4,000 Years Ago.

One-way traffic was in use nearly 4,000 years ago in the Neolithic, or Stone Age, camp on the famous Trundle Hill, near Goodwood Park, in course, in Sussex, England.

Dr. Cecil Curwen, the archaeologist, has made the existing excavations on the site, states: "It is certain that one way into the camp was used only as an entrance and the other as an exit. These camps are extremely rare; there are only a dozen in the whole of England; the date of this camp is approximately 2,000 B.C. The most interesting Neolithic find was that of a large semi-circular hut, or store, with a hole in the floor, worked up into a ridge with sharp flint marks radiating from it; possibly an early method of sinking fire."

Child's Diary to Be Preserved.

All those who have read Lord Passenby's "Scottish and Irish Diaries" will rejoice that the original manuscript of the diaries of Marjorie Fleming, the child prodigy of Sir Walter Scott, is to be presented to the trustees of the National Library of Scotland.

Scott described Marjorie as "the most extraordinary genius I ever met with," and said that her repeating of Shakespeare overpowered him as nothing in the province. Marjorie appears to have been very advanced for one so young. "I like John Dory, he is a very beautiful fish, and so is Richard 3." "Tomson and Pope" came in for frequent comparisons from her, though "nothing is like Shakespeare." And she died at nine years old.

Blindfold Calculator. "What would

happen to the young man of today who could not even do simple sums?" asked the accountant. "He would probably become a waiter."— London Humorist.

Time isn't money—but folks are always spending it.

SCHOOL REPORTS

Following is the report of Tamworth Consolidated School, and the names of the pupils who obtained 60% and over during the fall term, in order of merit:—

Senior Room

Class IV—Ted Penny, Grace Stinson and Madeline Tucker, equal; Robert Kirkpatrick and Marguerite Woodcock, equal; Freda Wagar, Gerald Rose, Alfred Wells, Scott Gilmore, Evelyn Courneya and Kenneth Stinson, equal; Teddy Courneya, John Hanna, and Edwin Lochhead, equal; Leona Huffman, Donald Hunt and Roy Milligan, equal; John Hopkins, Jean Wagar, Mildred Schoolcraft and Emily Lott.

M. B. DUNCAN, Teacher.

Junior Room

Senior I — Billy Paul 83, Rachel Storms 77, Stewart Burns 74.

Junior I — Orval Kirke 87, Boyce Steele 71, Annie Hinchey 64, Murray Richardson 59, Brunette Woodcock 56, Ronald Lott 58, Helen Hunt 55, Alice McDonald 48, Alex Adair 24.

Senior Primer — Carl Paul 74, Nellie McDonald 62, Delorene Yorke 23.

Junior Primer A — Jack Wilson 86, Francis McAdam 61, Donald Lott 32, Gloris Courneya 16, Gerald Smith 13.

Junior Primer, B—Ruth Crick, Donald Huffman, Gerald Yorke, Elaine Hunt, Jean Martin, Marjorie Waters, Orval Courneya, Mabel Lott, Laura Hinchey, Donald Steele, Mary Craig, Annie Rogers, Lee Cox, Harold Johnson, Jack Bradshaw, Teddy McDonald.

F. L. TUTTLE, Teacher.

Room 2

Class III—Helen Marshall, Marguerite McDonald, Sam Richmond, Gertrude Richmond, Bruce Richardson, Billy Rogers, Gerald Lott, Doris Schoolcraft, Helen Kirkpatrick, Gerald Courneya, Lila Rogers, Bert Hinchey, Melbourne Woodcock, Clinton Kellar, Garnet Kirkpatrick, Reggie Richmond, Hoyland Kirk, James Card, Elaine Hunt.

Class II—Marguerite Gilmore, William Huffman and Billie Crick, equal; Mac Carscallen and Joseph McDonald equal, Helen O'Connor, Rhea Lochhead, Dominic Courneya, Clayton Cox, Harold Rogers, James McAdams, Kenneth Young, Bruce Watters, Glenn Card, Annie Hanna, Ida Wilson, John Brown, Elda O'Brien.

M. G. KIRKNESS, Teacher.

Junior

Union, S. S. No. 9, Richmond

Names in order of merit:

Senior IV—Luella MacDonald, honors; Kathleen Manion.

Senior III—Kathleen Davis, honors; Clarence McNeill, Mate Gray, Elizabeth Windover, Kathleen Hayes, F.

Senior III — Eileen Manion, absent; Junior III — Doris Windover, honors; Lonnie Manion, honors, Frances Manion, honors; Hubert Thompson, F; Rita Hayes, F; Kenneth Hayes, absent.

Junior II—Leo Manion, honors; Robert Graham, Mary McNeill, Harold Windover.

Senior Primer — Wilma Gray, Rita MacDonald.

VERA G. MILLER, Teacher.

SAYS HISTORY NEED NOT BE BORING TASK

Playwright Sees Canada's Story As Great Romance

"There never has been any good excuse for history being a wearisome and tedious matter to a child," says Merrill Denison, Canadian playwright, who has written a series of radio plays based on Canadian history for the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation. "It is rich in material for the most romantic character. The plays stride great adventurers, whose courage, fortitude and prodigious energy have performed among the material peoples the stuff for national sagas, and whose loyalty to their sovereigns could be consciously integrated into the Canadian consciousness."

"It is the misfortune of our mighty dead that the pen of the historian is seldom the magic wand to raise them from the printed pages. Tales of adventure more thrilling than the romances of Dumas become dry and dull. The stirring heroism of individuals is buried under the dreary recital of imperial ambition. The folk lore of a race has been strangled to make simpler the setting of examination papers."

It is to rescue the heroes of Canada from a fate that is worse than oblivion that the Canadian National Railways decided to broadcast, this winter, the series of plays by Mr. Denison, "The Romance of Canada," and which Mr. Denison, as the country's best known dramatist, was asked to write.

L. O. L. NO. 368 OFFICERS FOR YEAR 1931

Camden East L. O. L. No. 368 met in the Orange Hall to elect their officers for 1931. After the ceremony and general business the officers were elected and installed by the Grand Organizer, which are as follows:—

W. M. — Bro. James McBoney.

D. M. — Bro. James Salsbury.

Chap.—Bro. Rev. R. W. Spencer.

Rec.-Secretary—Bro. R. Hilton Robinson.

Fin.-Secretary—Bro. V. K. Edgar.

Treasurer—Bro. Alvin Hinchey.

Marshal—Bro. John Sampson.

Secretary—Bro. Cyrus Edgar.

1st Committeeman—Bro. Fred McDonald.

2nd Committeeman—Bro. H. V. Robinson.

3rd Committeeman—Bro. George Risley.

4th Committeeman—Bro. Will Hannah.

5th Committeeman—Bro. Jas. Skinner.

IMPROVING GARDENS

An increasing interest in the beautification of parks and gardens is indicated by the importation of trees, shrubs, roots, perennials and bulbs in the past 10 years. In 1918 the Plant Inspection Service of the Canadian Government Department of Agriculture, examined 300,000 plants, etc., at ports of entry while last year the number examined was over 4,000,000. Inspection stations are maintained at Halifax, St. John's, Quebec City, Montreal, Ottawa, Toronto, Niagara Falls, Windsor, Winnipeg, Estevan and Vancouver, where imported plants are examined to ensure freedom from insect pests and plant diseases.

Hanger's Rest Sauce. The Ellsworth Chamber of Commerce will eat tomorrow for the first time in several weeks.—Ellsworth Paper.

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Christmas Greetings

WE ARE GLAD once again to take this opportunity of extending to our Friends and Patrons the Season's Greetings. In wishing you

A Very Happy Christmas

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AT THE FORUM

At the Forum, on Sunday afternoon about 400 men were present. The Forum is filling a real need. Come and have a good sing Sunday, in Wonderland, from 3 to 4 p.m.

SUCCESSFUL STUDENTS

Recently, several students of the Kingston Business College were appointed to Government positions, and among the number is Charles Armstrong, of Plevna. Nearly ninety per cent of the students who wrote on the recent Civil Service examinations were successful in passing. 52a

"THE ADVENTURES OF GRANDPA"

Will be presented in the Orange Hall, Mcilroy, on Tuesday, December 30th. A mirth provoking farce in three acts including two colorful choruses to be given under the auspices of L. O. B. A. No. 455 and L. O. L. No. 2711, Moscow, by members of St. John's A. Y. P. A. Enterprise. 52a

CHRISTMAS DINNER AT ENTERPRISE

The Enterprise United Church Annual Christmas Dinner and Entertainment will be held in the Community Hall, on Thursday, December 25th, with dinner served from 6 to 8 p.m. An excellent programme will be rendered, including:instrumental and vocal music readings, etc. given by local talent, assisted by Mrs. A. R. Houston and Miss Louise Houston, of Perdue, Sask. A hilarious, half-hour comedy, "A Matrimonial Bureau," presented by 15 characters will also be a feature. A pantomine, "The Holy City," and a beautiful Christmas Pageant, "The Message of the Angels to the World," are other attractions. A hearty invitation is extended to all. Admission: Adults, 50c; Children 25c.

RURAL SCHOOL CHILDREN'S EXHIBITS AT OTTAWA WINTER FAIR

At the Ottawa Winter Fair, special classes are provided in grain and potatoes for the first prize winners in these classes at the Rural School Fairs in Eastern Ontario. Seventeen school children in Lennox and Addington sent their winning ha'mples to Ottawa and Representative A. D. Runions, who forwarded them to Ottawa. The exhibits were of a very high quality, as the following list of winners indicates:—

Oats

Donald King, Moscow.
Bertram Henderson, R. R. No. 6, Napanee.

Barley

Kenwin Priest, R. R. No. 2, Bath.
Gerald McKeown, R. R. No. 3, Moscow.
Francis Lollar, R. R. No. 3, Odessa.
Kenneth Clyde, Wilton.

Wheat

Garnet McDonald, Stella.
Elsie Jerome, Plinton.
Billy Paul, Tamworth.

That old-fashioned Horehound Twist at Hooper's Drug Store.

Local Jottings

—Howard M. Smith, the Rawleigh Man, is in town. Opposite the Queen's Hotel. 52ap.

You get the Pure Spirits of Turpentine at Hooper's Drug Store.

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—The pupils of the Napanee Public Schools sold Christmas Seals for the Hospital for Consumptives to the value of $58.30.

—The Women's Christian Temperance Union will hold their regular monthly meeting in the Public Library, on Tuesday, December 30th, at 3.00 p.m. All the members are urged to be present and visitors also are cordially invited.

—To sufferers of rheumatism, gout, sciatica and neuritis, and uric poisoning, I have a real remedy, certain in results, and quick relief. A harmless and drugless mineral remedy. Call or write MRS. W. J. McC. HENDERSON, R.M.D. No. 1, Napanee. 47-8tp

—The services in St. Andrew's Church on Sunday, were expressive of the Christmas spirit in every way. The church was beautifully decorated with evergreens and wreaths. The choir provided Christmas music. In the evening the service was a completely choral one which was beautifully artistic. Many new and old hymns and carols made the evening one long to be remembered.

—William M. Howitt, President of the Association of Memorial Craftsmen of Ontario, and ex-Mayor of Napanee, has been interviewed by many citizens of Napanee, requesting him to take up municipal work again. Mr. Howitt said he had no axes to grind and was no politician but his main interests were for the betterment of Napanee, and will give the question due consideration.

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RIGHT REV. M. J. McDONALD VESTED WITH PURPLE AS DOMESTIC PRELATE

In the beautiful Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception, Kingston, on Sunday evening, a ceremony of solemnity and splendour took place when four illustrious sons of the Catholic Church were honoured in a very signal manner by the Holy See:—Rt. Rev. J. F. Nicholson, V.G., pastor of St. Michael's Church, Belleville; Rt. Rev. M. McDonald, V. F., pastor of St. Patrick's Church, Napanee, being officially invested with the dignity of Domestic Prelates, and Dr. C. O'Connor and Dr. E. Ryan, of Kingston, receiving the Knighthood in the order of St. Gregory the Great.

An event of such importance has never before taken place in the Cathedral parish of the Archdiocese of Kingston, and parishioners as well as clergy from the entire district gathered to attend the services and by their presence, pay tribute to the honoured men.

Most Rev. M. J. O'Brien, co-adjutor Archbishop of Kingston, who officiated, acted as special representative of the Holy Father in conferring these honours on those whose distinguished careers in the priesthood and in the laity had earned for them these favours.

At seven-thirty the procession was formed from the Archbishop's Palace to the Cathedral. It was led by an acolyte carrying a cross, followed by candlebearers, choir boys, altar boys, priests of the diocese and distinguished visitors, the knights, Monsignor and Archbishop O'Brien. All took their places in the sanctuary, the Archbishop being attended by V. Rev. Dean A. J. Hanley, of Gananoque, and V. Rev. Dean, J. T. Hanley, of Smith's Falls.

Very Rev. D. J. Byrne, the Archbishop's secretary, read the briefs in Latin and in English, and Rev. E. M. Leacy, of Deseronto, chancellor of the diocese, delivered an eloquent sermon, taking as his text, the words "This honour is be worthy of, whom the King hath a mind to honour."

At the conclusion of the sermon, the reverend speaker addressed the candidates and spoke to Rev. Father McDonald, as follows:—

"Monsignor McDonald, almost 52 years have passed since in the little chapel of the Hotel Dieu, at the feet of the first Bishop O'Brien you received the priesthood and by a striking coincidence you are tonight to kneel at the feet of a pontif of the same name and receive an honour commensurate with your labours as a zealous priest. You built two churches to God's name, and a Catholic school. For twenty-five years you were chaplain at Portsmouth Penitentiary and hundreds of boys are now living Christian Catholic lives, with honest to goodness jobs through your advice and encouragement. With your intimate friends rejoice in the very emphatic honour and title to be conferred on you tonight, nor will always be just 'Father Mac' to them."

At the concluding words of the sermon, Monsignor Nicholson and Monsignor McDonald knelt before the Archbishop at his archiepscopal throne and made profession of faith. At the hand of the Archbishop they were clothed in the robes of Domestic Prelates, the immaculate, lace trimmed rochet and the purple mantelletta.

HAWLEY W. M. S.

The annual W. M. S. meeting was held at the home of Mrs. E. McCaughterly on Thursday, November 20th, with a good attendance and the President, Mrs. H. Clement, presiding. The meeting opened with hymn 168, followed by prayer by Rev. Horton, after which the roll call and the minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. The election of officers then took place and resulted as follows:—

President—Mrs. H. Clement.
1st Vice-Pres.—Mrs. G. Parks.
2nd Vice-Pres.—Mrs. C. Asselstine.
Secretary—Mrs. S. Creighton.
Treasurer—Mrs. W. Woods.
Christian Stewardship — Mrs. J. L. Smith.
Corresponding Secretary — Mrs. S. Parks.
Missionary Monthly — Mrs. I. Asselstine.
Press Reporter — Mrs. J. R. Ackerman.
Strangers' Secretary—Mrs. C. Pretts.
Temperance Secretary—Mrs. W. Hill.
Mite Box Superintendent — Mrs. J. Craven.

The meeting closed with the Mizpah, after which a very dainty lunch was served by the hostess and a social half hour was enjoyed.

The regular meeting of the Hawley W. M. S. was held at the home of Mrs. C. Asselstine, on Wednesday, December 10th, the President, Mrs. Clement, in the chair. "Hymn No. 70 was sung, followed by the Lord's Prayer in unison. In the absence of Mrs. Creighton, Miss E. Clement was appointed secretary. Roll call was answered and the minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. Membership fees were paid, also some paid their systematic giving. Mrs. J. L. Smith very kindly offered her home for a social evening on Tuesday, December 20th,the money to go toward our allocation.Some very fine donations brought in are to be forwarded on to the Supply Committee. The devotional part then followed. A hymn was sung, Mrs. Hill then read the scripture lesson, Luke 2-8-20, after which Mrs. W. Hill gave a reading entitled, "Thing First."

The meeting was closed with the Mizpah benediction, Mrs. Asselstine then served a delicious lunch.

MORVEN W M. S.

The annual business meeting was held at the home of the President, and the following officers were lected for the year 1931:—

Hon.—President—Mrs. G. E. Frallick.
President—Mrs. R. W. Street.
1st. Vice-Pres—Mrs. G. Clarke.
2nd Vice-Pres.—Mrs. E. Lund.
Recording Secretary—Mrs. W. Withers.
Corresponding Secretary — Mrs. G. Pretts.
Treasurer—Mrs. G. E. Frallick.
Church Seuperintendent—Mrs. J. F. Lake.
Strangers' Secretary—Mrs. E. V. Denyes.
Baby Band Secretary—Mrs. P. Lake.
Mite Box Secretary—Mrs. B. Jackson.
Organist—Mrs. E. Miller.
Auditor—Mrs. E. Lund.

The family purse also needs four-wheel brakes.

Napanee Collegiate Commencement

Small Audience Greets Annual Commencement Exercises

On Friday evening the Napanee Collegiate held their Annual Commencement Exercises before a disappointingly small audience. Scarcely more than a hundred were present to see the children get their medals and diplomas. The Chairman of the Board, Mr. Alpine Brooks, pointed out in his opening remarks that the school was the largest in its history and the marks attained last year were the best of any in the province. In spite of these unusual facts, the attendance showed a lack of public interest in this great institution.

An innovation marked the opening of the exercises, when the staff and those who were to take part in the proceedings, proceeded in procession to the platform, robed in academic habits. This gave color to the proceedings and made the affair appear as a really academic gathering.

Mr. M. Fox presented the Fox medals "in Memoria"; The Memorial Scholarship was presented by Mr. Wood; The Beatty Medals by Dr. Galbraith; the Commercial-Diplomas by Dr. Hall; the Athletic Cups by Mr. Corbitt; the W. C. T. U. prizes by Mrs. R. J. Smith, and the I. O. D. E. prize by Mrs. W. Deroche.

The address of the evening was given by Judge Deroche, of Belleville, who gave an informative account of the "Tombs of Egypt," which he recently visited.

Miss Doris Knapp gave a piano selection, which showed much skill and training; Mr. Wiseman sang in his usual pleasing manner. The boys' band showed much improvement over its former appearance and especially in its last number, showed the results of much hard and consistent work. The Valedictory was given by Miss Lois Stalker, of last season's graduating class. Her message was an artistic and deeply inspiring one. She spoke in the choicest language, and in a calm manner, of the hopes and aspirations of the graduating youth.

The Principal injected somewhat of a surprise into the proceedings when he announced that he had a special prize for the best all round boy in the school for the year, much curiosity was evident as he introduced the subject, and when he announced that the prize had gone to Bob Howitt, the applause showed that the students agreed with his judgment.

The list of prize winners and those who secured diplomas, follow:—

Medals

C. B. Fox Gold Medal—Miss Katharine Henderson.
C. B. Fox Silver Medal—Miss Helen Lancaster.
Memorial Scholarship—Robin Fluke.
T. B. Wallace Silver Medal—Charles Amey.
L. S. Beattie Silver Medals—Grace Joyce, Mary Irvine, Luella Asselstine, Minnie O'Neil.

W. C. T. U. PRIZES

County Prize Winners
Upper School—Gordon Blake, 2nd.
Lower School — Wilma Purrs, 1st; Marion Winters, 2nd.

Local Prize Winners

Forms IV and V—Gordon Blake, 1st; Robin Fluke, 2nd; Joe Thomson, 3rd.
Form III—Carrie Milling, 1st; Chas. Amey, 2nd; Harold Pile, 3rd.
Forms I and II—Wilma Purrs, 1st; Marion Winter, 2nd; Madelyn Dennison, 3rd.

I. O. D. E. Prizes

Elizabeth Madden. Donald Hough.

Athletic Cups

Boys' Senior—J. L. Creighton.
Boys' Intermediate—H. Robinson.
Boys' Junior—W. Webb.
Girls' Senior—Marion Thompson.
Girls' Intermediate—Margaret Walters.
Girls' Junior—Halliday Wagar.

Graduation Diplomas, 1930

D. Alkenbrack, D. Anderson, A. Aylsworth, K. Baker, H. Barnhart, M. Bedore, G. Blake, C. Briscoe, R. Brown, S. Brown, H. Burley, V. Bernard, L. Claus, J. G. Creighton, K. Daly, G. Duffett, M. Dovle, R. Dumbrille, M. Exley, R. Fluke, L. Foley, B. Forsyth, K. Henderson, R. Howitt, B. Instant, M. Jackson, H. Lancaster, J. Lancaster, M. McConnell, G. McQuade, M. Martin, C. Milligan, E. Milligan, J. Milligan, I. Paul, Gordon Paul, G. Purcell, F. Reid, M. Reid, Honor Graduation Diplomas—J. Thomson, D. Wilson, F. Wright, T. Webb, D. Wood.

Commercial Diplomas, 1930

General Diploma—Blanche Barham, Sadie Chapman, Dorothy Cokewell, Mona Drew, Luella French, Mary Irvine, Hilda McGrath, Muriel McKnight, Mervyn Oweh, Harold Pringle, Mildred Richardson.

Secretarial Diploma—Gladys Clarke, Eileen Gallagher, Jean Robertson, Marion Woodcock.

Accountancy Diploma— Garnet Dupre, Walter Hagerman, Gladys Huffman, Russell Kimmett, Edward Lounds, Wilfred VanSlyck, Ernest Sexsmith.

Secretarial Certificate — Norma Blakely, V. Boomhour, Kathryn Clarke, Marion Embury, Arthur Prink, Luella Hagerman, Evelyn Hidgins, Grace Joyce, Mabel Tompkins.

Accountancy Certificate — Maurice Kinkley, Gordon MacGregor.

"NOT GUILTY"

A X'mas Cantata at St. Andrew's Church

Santa Claus was charged with practising without a license. He was tried and found not guilty.

This story, told in dramatic song by the Sunday School scholars of St. Andrew's Church, gave scope for much musical talent. Songs, dialogues, choruses, solos of many kinds, portrayed the plot, and displayed many and varied situations. Walking dolls, policemen, lawyers, a judge, scooter kids, Salvation Army lassies, and empty stockings, all appeared. The way they sang and acted reflected much credit to the trainer, Mrs. Eppett, who was assisted by Mrs. Irvine Went and Mrs. Clarence Reid, accompanist. The children entered fully into the spirit of the play, as they gave a very interesting, attractive and delightfully humorous presentation of Santa Claus' real task.

After the cantata, the Christmas gifts were distributed from the tree.

The proceeds of the concert went to the Beaver Santa Claus Fund.

Christmas Greetings

AT THIS TIME OF THE YEAR, WHEN THE SPIRIT OF YULETIDE PREVAILS, WE TURN OUR THOUGHTS IN GRATEFUL APPRECIATION TO THOSE WHO BY THEIR FRIENDSHIP & PATRONAGE HAVE MADE BUSINESS ASSOCIATIONS BOTH PLEASUREABLE & PROFITABLE.

IT IS, THEREFORE, MOST FITTING THAT WE WISH YOU THE SEASON'S SINCEREST GREETINGS, WITH THE HOPE THAT THE FUTURE WILL BE FILLED WITH AN ABUNDANCE OF HEALTH, HAPPINESS & PROSPERITY

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The County of Lennox and Addington will meet for the purpose of auditing the Public Accounts of the County

JUDGES CHAMBERS, IN THE COURT HOUSE

in the Town of Napanee on

THURSDAY, JANRY 8th, 1931

at the hour of 10 o'clock a.m.

No accounts will be considered by the Board unless filed with the undersigned on or before January 2nd, 1931.

U.M. WILSON,
Clerk of the Peace.
53ap

To the Electors of Napanee

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

I respectfully solicit your Vote and Influence for Mayor of the Town of Napanee for the year 1931, and I wish to take this opportunity of conveying to you my best wishes for the coming year.

Yours sincerely,

JOHN G. DALY

To the Electors of Napanee

Vote and Use Your Influence to Re-Elect

Geo. J. Tustin

Reeve for 1931

To the Electors of Napanee

Ladies and Gentlemen,

I have served you in the capacity of Councillor for many years in the Town of Napanee, and, hoping I have been satisfactory, I now solicit your personal Vote and Influence to represent you as your Reeve for the coming year, 1931, which I will, fearless of anyone, stand for the interests and betterment of our community.

Thanking you.

WILLIAM GEORGE PAUL.

To the Electors of Napanee

Your Vote and Influence is Respectfully Solicited for the Re-Election of

C. N. LOUCKS

As Councillor for 1931

VOTE FOR E. O. UNGAR

The Independent Candidate

TO THE ELECTORS OF NORTH FREDERICKSBURGH

Ladies and Gentlemen,

During my five years tenure of office as Reeve, I have always looked after your interests with the same carefulness that I would my own, and I ask you for your hearty support on Monday next.

Wishing you Health, Happiness and Prosperity, for the coming year, I remain,

Yours faithfully,
53ap JAMES W. CLARK.

TO THE ELECTORS OF NORTH FREDERICKSBURGH

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Having served five years on the Council Board, I again solicit your vote and influence for my return as Councillor for the year 1931.

Wishing you all the Compliments of the Season, I remain.

Your Obedient Servant,
53ap GEO. A. JOHNSTON.

TO THE ELECTORS OF NORTH FREDERICKSBURGH

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

I am again a Candidate for a place on the Council Board, for the year 1931. During the past four years I have endeavoured to serve you faithfully, and take this opportunity of soliciting your vote and influence.

Wishing you all A Happy and Prosperous New Year, I remain.

Yours very truly,
53ap JAMES H. KEECH.

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE TOWN OF NAPANEE

I have been asked by many ratepayers to stand election for the Office of Mayor.

In so doing, I respectfully solicit your vote and influence. If elected I will do my best to stop all unnecessary expenditures, and provide employment for those in need. I am in favour of all business transactions and minutes being printed, also a monthly financial statement.

May 1931 be most prosperous to all.

ARTHUR S. KIMMERLY.

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE TOWN OF NAPANEE

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Having served you for two years as councillor, I again solicit your support for my re-election on Monday next. I have always worked for the best interests of our Town, without fear or favor, and will continue to do so.

Wishing you the Compliments of the Season, I remain.

Yours respectfully,

C. A. WISEMAN.

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE TOWN OF NAPANEE

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

Having been nominated for Councillor for 1931, I take this means of soliciting your vote and influence for my return as Councillor for the year 1931.

Wishing you all the Compliments of the Season, I remain.

Yours Obedient Servant,

J. H. FITZPATRICK.

TO THE ELECTORS OF NORTH FREDERICKSBURGH

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

I have been nominated as a Councillor for 1931, and would ask the hearty support of the Electors of the Township, both Ladies and Gentlemen.

Wishing you the Compliments of the Season, I am,

Yours very truly,
53ap WILFRED McCABE.

NOTICE

"Correspondence singing course, under internationally-known master; literature upon request—DE L'EVEILLE STUDIOS, 10A East Bloor Street, Toronto." 53

The Beaver Santa Claus Fund

The following contributions to The Beaver Santa Claus Fund have been received since our last issue:—

Napanee Lacrosse Club ..... $ 6.00
Maple Leaf Institute 2.00
Mrs. Dr. Beattie, two bags potatoes.

The item in last week's issue, of $10, credited to the West Ward School, should have been from Napanee Public Schools.

NOMINATIONS ELSEWHERE

CAMDEN

For Reeve—T. J. Cook, J. E. Judge.
For Deputy Reeve—P. M. McLaughlin, F. McDonald.
For Councillors—R. A. Burgess, F. R. Brown, H. V. Robinson, J. A. Salsbury, K. L. Weese.

NORTH FREDERICKSBURGH

For Reeve—Elmer Alkenbrack, J. W. Clark.
For Councillors—Herb Martin, Geo. Sexsmith, James Keech, Geo. Johnston, E. S. Bartley, Jeremiah Perry, Wilfrid McCabe, Robert Walsh, Harry Pringle, J. H. Card, Ray Perry, D. A. McCabe.

WILTON

Re-unions of families and friends were the main feature of the holiday. Old and young each enjoyed their gifts of the season.—Miss Leila Simmons, R. N., of Chicago, and Mr. Arthur Simmons, of Toronto, were both at home to spend Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Simmons. —Mrs. Charles Shower spent a few days in Napanee, the guest of Mrs. Glass.—Mrs. Clifford Fralick has been spending some time at the home of her father, Mr. Earl Hart, here.—Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Long and two children, of Oshawa, were callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Simmons, last week.—Mr. and Mrs. M. J. White and Wilfrid, spent Christmas with friends in Uncle Sam's dominion.—Mr. and Mrs. Chrisman Peters were Christmas guests of relatives at Enterprise. — Many from here attended the nominations for township offices, held at Odessa on Monday.—Mr. and Mrs. John Prink spent the holiday with their daughter, Mrs. A. McLean and Mr. McLean, of Kingston.—The annual Christmas entertainment of the United Church was held on Christmas Eve, as usual, in the church.—Wishing the Beaver Staff a Very Happy and Prosperous New Year.

READ HOOPER'S 1931 PRICE AD ON PAGE 8.

General Hepburn wishes to extend to his many friends in the County of Lennox, his grateful and sincere thanks for the great consideration and many kindnesses extended to him in 1930, and to wish them all A Most Prosperous and Happy New Year.

TO THE ELECTORS OF NORTH FREDERICKSBURGH

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

As I am a candidate for Reeve for 1931, I respectfully solicit your vote and influence for my election.

Wishing you all a Happy and Prosperous New Year, I remain,

Yours Sincerely,
53ap ELMER S. ALKENBRACK.

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE TOWN OF NAPANEE

YOUR VOTE & INFLUENCE Respectfully Requested For

V. COWLING

AS COUNCILLOR

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE TOWN OF NAPANEE

YOUR VOTE & INFLUENCE — Respectfully Solicited For

CAPT. A. S. HUGHSON

AS COUNCILLOR

ANNUAL MEETING

The Annual Meeting of Forest Mills Cheese Factory will be held in the Factory, on Wednesday, January 14th, 1931, for giving the Secretary's and Auditors' reports, for selling of milk routes and transaction of general business. Meeting to begin at 1.00 o'clock, sharp.

WESLEY DAVIS, President.
53bp LEWIS FOX, Secretary.

ANNUAL MEETING.

The Annual Meeting of the Centreville Dairy Company, Limited, will be held in the Town Hall, Centreville, on Thursday, January 15th, 1931, at the hour of 1.00 o'clock p.m.

Election of Officers, receiving the Auditors' Report, and general business.

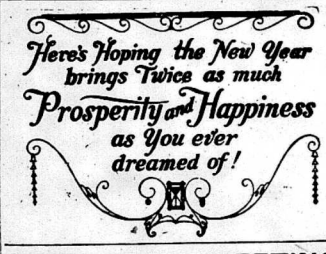
JACOB DOUPE, President.
53b GEO. A. McGILL, Secretary.

ANNUAL MEETING

The Annual Meeting of the Addington Agricultural Society will be held in the Town Hall, Centreville, on Saturday, January 17th, 1931, at the hour of 2.00 o'clock p.m.

Election of Officers and general business.

FRED. BROWN, President.
53b GEO. A. McGILL, Secretary.



NOMINATION MEETING

FOR MAYOR

J. G. DALY — Nominated by W. H. Hunter and W. K. Huston.
A. S. KIMMERLY — Nominated by J. W. Thompson and C. H. Spencer; Dr. C. M. Stratton and W. A. Conger; W. V. Webster and A. E. Caton; H. Skitch and Mrs. A. S. Hughson; A. S. Hughson and C. Cornwall.
WILLIAM M. HOWITT — Nominated by J. V. Topping and R. B. Pennell; Charles Giles and Harry Seymour.
C. N. LOUCKS — Nominated by E. J. Roy and R. S. Wales; D. A. Garrison and J. P. Moore.
GEORGE J. TUSTIN — Nominated by W. V. Webster and E. C. Hogarth.
J. M. SIMPSON — Nominated by George J. Tustin and C. N. Loucks; G. H. Switzer and E. Deline.
Messrs. Howitt, Loucks, Simpson and Tustin having resigned, leaves Messrs. Daly and Kimmerly to contest the Mayoralty.

FOR REEVE

GEORGE J. TUSTIN — Nominated by E. J. Roy and C. A. Walters; H. M. Grott and J. L. Boyes; F. Russell and W. V. Webster; J. A. Vandewater and W. H. Boyle.
W. G. PAUL — Nominated by P. D. Marsh and T. B. German.
CHARLES N. LOUCKS — Nominated by J. A. Marshall and F. S. Boyes; B. F. Davy and W. H. Hunter.
ELGIN O. UNGAR — Nominated by E. Pringle and J. Murphy.
A. S. HUGHSON — Nominated by J. H. Fitzpatrick and H. Seymour; A. Reid and H. Roney.
Messrs. Loucks, Ungar and Hughson having resigned, leaves Messrs. Tustin and Paul in the field for the Reeveship.

FOR COUNCILLORS

E. O. UNGAR — Nominated by J. M. Graham and William Evans.
H. FITZPATRICK — Nominated by L. P. Trumpour and William Hudson; J. A. Marshall and A. T. Turnbull.
V. COWLING — Nominated by J. H. Fitzpatrick and Albert Reid.
C. N. LOUCKS — Nominated by P. D. Marsh and J. M. Graham; D. B. Wilson and J. W. Thompson; William Howitt and J. H. Moffat; P. U. Laidley and W. T. Shaver; C. A. Walters and J. E. Robinson; J. G. Daly and J. M. Simpson.
C. A. WISEMAN — Nominated by A. S. Hughson and B. F. Davy.
R. S. WALES — Nominated by G. Switzer and W. H. Steacy; F. S. Scott and A. B. Root; E. O. Ungar and J. M. Graham.
DR. CAMERON WILSON — Nominated by W. T. MacKenzie and F. S. Boyes; B. P. Davy and H. Anderson.
A. S. HUGHSON — Nominated by J. G. Oliver and W. R. Sexsmith.
T. HUFFMAN — Nominated by J. H. Fitzpatrick and Perry A. Cassan.
K. S. HAM — Nominated by B. M. Black and E. J. Pollard.
HARRY BOYLE — Nominated by Dr. J. B. Willoughby and W. K. Huston.
W. J. JEWELL — Nominated by J. W. Thompson and W. McCullough.
W. O. PAUL — Nominated by F. W. Knapp and V. Cowling.
A. S. KIMMERLY — Nominated by J. Manser and C. Cornwall.
WILLIAM HOWITT — Nominated by Albert Smith and C. D. Vanalstyne.
J. V. TOPPING — Nominated by William Howitt and R. B. Pennell; A. S. Hughson and E. Pringle.
The Candidates whose names will be on the ballot paper for Councillors are as follows:—Messrs. Ungar, Fitzpatrick, Cowling, Loucks, Wiseman, Wales, Wilson and Hughson.

FOR BOARD OF EDUCATION

EAST WARD

J. E. MADDEN — Nominated by J. A. Fellows and H. M. Scott; J. H. Moffat and R. S. Wales; P. Gleeson and W. T. MacKenzie.
J. E. Madden being the only nominee, was declared elected.

CENTRE WARD

G. S. REID — Nominated by G. H. Anderson and C. W. Vandervoort.
D. B. WILSON — Nominated by E. J. Pollard and B. M. Black.
E. A. WALTERS — Nominated by C. N. Loucks and H. L. Vanhaven.
Messrs. Wilson and Walters resigned in favour of Mr. G. S. Reid.

WEST WARD

J. E. MILLER — Nominated by F. J. Roblin and J. G. Switzer; W. A. Daly and W. K. Hustori.
J. E. Miller being the only nominee, was declared elected.

FOR PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

J. E. ROBINSON — Nominated by C. A. Wiseman and E. J. Roy.
J. E. Robinson being the only nominee, was re-elected.
A. S. HUGHSON — Nominated by C. Cornwall and H. Skitch.
A. S. Hughson resigned in favour of J. E. Robinson.

PUBLIC MEETING

The Town Hall was filled to the doors on Monday evening, when the Nominations for the Town Council, Reeve, Mayor, Public Utilities and Board of Education, were handed in.

More than the usual enthusiasm prevailed and before the evening was half over, some pretty stiff arguments were under way.

Mr. Alpine Woods, Chairman of the Board of Education, spoke to the Electors while the nominations were being handed in. He told of the number of pupils attending, the subjects now taught at both the Day School and the Vocational School. He also spoke on the financial standing of the Board and the amount of money that was received from the county pupils attending the Collegiate Institute.

The Clerk, Mr. W. Grange, then declared the time for nominations was closed and read the names of the Candidates nominated.

He was then nominated to act as chairman for the evening.

Mr. Grange then asked Mr. J. M. Simpson to speak to the Electors. Mr. Simpson declined the nomination to run for Mayor or Councillor in the coming election. He spoke of the relationship between the Town Council and himself and the County Council and expressed his thanks to those who gave him their support in the past and extended his good wishes for a Prosperous New Year.

The members of last year's Council were then called upon in order, and all spoke on their different committees and the work they had accomplished and if re-elected would give the people of the Town of Napanee the best possible administration of municipal affairs they could.

NEWBURGH

Miss Lillith Gandier, Napanee, visited Miss Margaret Mitchell for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Rollins, Eldorado, spent the holidays with their daughter, Mrs. J. N. Lucas.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Vandervoort and family, Trenton, are at his mother's, Mrs. D. Vandervoort's.

Robbi Fluke, who has been attending Queen's University, is home for the holidays.

The people responded magnificently at the White Gift Service, and twenty baskets of cheer were distributed by the young people.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Embury and Ernest Morgan, and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Lett, Kingston, visited Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Embury on Sunday evening.

Mr. Max Miles, of the Bank of Commerce, Tamworth, spent Christmas with his aunt, Mrs. G. M. Walker.

Miss Florence Allen, Yarker, is the guest of Misses Queenie and Joy Paul, for a few days.

Mrs. D. McNeil, Napanee, was the guest of Mrs. H. King, last week.

Miss Margaret Mitchell spent a few days last week in Napanee with Mrs. James Thomson.

Miss Ella Yeomans gave a missionary address on Christmas in Japan, at the Sunday School last Sunday.

Mr. J. C. Anderson, B.A., LL.B., of Oshawa, Mr. Douglas Anderson, Varsity, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Hudgins, spent Christmas at home.

A "Trail Rangers" group, under the leadership of Mr. Vernon Simpkins and Rev. Anderson, has been organized and meets on Tuesday evenings in the Primary class room.

Mrs. Burgess, of Enterprise, is the guest of her friend, Mrs. Wyatt.

Dr. and Mrs. Hostrohle and family visited with Mr. and Mrs. Close, Croydon.

Mrs. J. Wartman and Miss M. Wartman, spent Christmas in Kingston.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Simpkins, of Oswego, are guests of his brother, Kenneth Tompkins.

Mr. W. G. Paul, of Toronto, at Mrs. S. Shorey's, on Saturday night.

Mr. Claud Vandervoort, of Smith Falls, spent his holidays at home, with his mother, Mrs. D. Vandervoort.

Mr. and Mrs. George Thompson, entertained on Christmas, twenty seven people, including Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Carter and baby, Betty, from Belleville, Mrs. K. Winter, and Hazel, spent Christmas with her daughter, Mrs. D. Warren, Kingston.

Miss Leah Ramsay, of Madoc, spent the Yuletide at home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Aylesworth, barrister, of Windsor, spent the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Aylesworth.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Shorey, George and Elmer, and Mr. and Mrs. B. Lennon and family, Camilton, had their Christmas dinner with the former's mother, Mrs. S. Shorey.

Mr. F. Gandier spent Christmas with his sister, Mrs. James Thomson, Napanee.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Button were in Kingston on Christmas with their daughter, Marjorie, who has been seriously ill in the Hotel Dieu, but we are glad to report is on a fair road to recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. John Benn, Wilfred, Muriel and June and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Asselstine, Sharp's Corners, called on the formers' grandmother, Mrs. S. Shorey, Christmas afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wartman, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Wartman and family, had Christmas dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Ward Wartman.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Walker and Mr. John Hannah, were guests of the latter's daughter, Mrs. Rufus Lewis, Hinch on Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Morgan, and Ruth, and Mr. James Morgan, Strathcona, and Mrs. L. Dack, and Miss E. Yeomans, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Embury on Christmas evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom took tea at Mrs. C. Carter's on Monday night.

Mr. Tom Wilson spent Christmas at the home of Mr. B. Wilson and Mrs. Carter's.

Mr. Kenneth Connor, of Madoc, spent Christmas Day at J. M. Ramsay's.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Kitchen and baby, Schenectady, spent Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Breese.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Carter have returned home to Belleville after having spent the Christmas holidays at Mr. Charles Carter's.

Mr. and Mrs. William Ward, Jim and Pat Patricia, Mrs. E. Roach, of Ernestville, Nellie Ward, of Rochester, N. Y. Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Foley and children, Lansdowne, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mulroney and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Clement and family, of Bloco and Helen Clement, of Kingston, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Ward, on Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. K. Fletcher, Regina, arrived home on Wednesday night, to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Milligan.

Mr. and Mrs. James Wales took Christmas dinner with their daughter, Mrs. Harry Wartman, Wesley.

The regular watch night meeting will be held in the Free Methodist Church on Wednesday night, December 31st, beginning at 9.45 p.m. Rev. Fletcher, the pastor, will be in charge. Everyone welcome.

Mrs. W. J. McGill, Mr. and Mrs. K. Fletcher, Mr. and Mrs. F. Milligan, Muriel and Eleanor, were the guests of Mrs. F. Gerow, Christmas Day.

Mr. Charles Welbanks and Gladys Maud Welbanks at Mrs. F. A. Breese's, Christmas Day.

Mrs. James Parley is visiting her son, Mr. Ray Parley for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Moore returned home to Windsor, after spending the Yuletide with their parents, Mrs. M. Hill and Mr. and Mrs. Clancy Moore, Wesley.

Mr. and Mrs. K. Fletcher visited her grandmother, Mrs. William McGill, Centreville, on Monday.

The W. M. A. of the United Church will hold their January meeting at the home of Mrs. G. Wagar, on Wednesday, January 7th, at 2.30 p.m. Everybody is welcome.

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The Political Review

With the New Year just around the corner, 1930 in retrospect and 1931 in prospect are the timely subjects of discussion.

It cannot be said that from the standpoint of material prosperity 1930 in itself is a popular item. Its disappointments have been many and well distributed. From the Government of Canada, itself, right down to the humblest worker the stress of economic woes has been felt and is being felt.

Relief measures instituted by the Bennett Government in September have with the co-operation of the Provinces and the railways, given employment thus far to upwards of 100,000 people. Industrial expansion following tariff revision in September has been credited with giving work to about 10,000 people thus far, with a promise that when the effect of the revision becomes fully operative another 20,000 or more will be absorbed.

Still, the emergency relief measures are of necessity temporary in the character of employment, and probably another 100,00 people reached Christmas looking for something harder to find than the needle in a haystack—work.

These figures take no account of actual distress existing on the farms of Canada, particularly in the Prairie Provinces. Another world glut of wheat has pushed prices to unprofitable levels even when a fair crop was harvested. There were many districts, however, where there was no crop and the residents of these—after the situation met in 1929-30—face the present and future without reserves.

Were conditions which exist here peculiar to Canada a remedy would soon be found but they are not. We are marching along the road of depression with the rest of the world. The point is made that we should not be so marching. Our resources are so vast, that properly developed, they should carry us easily through times such as these. They have not been so developed. We made no provisions in times of plenty against the rainy day and conditions have to be faced as they now are.

All of which brings us up against some startling realities which prove that Canada requires of its government a measure of world knowledge not dreamed by any country on earth of comparable population. We are interested in world trends and in world markets as is no other country of like population, because it is in the marking of the world that we must place the surplus of developed resources which is the difference between just living and prosperity.

If we raise 400,000,000 bushels of wheat a year we must market nearly 300,000,000 bushels of it outside Canada. The copper and the nickel from our mines must go in raw state or as finished products to other lands. Our huge yield of timber and pulp is far more than ten per cent of its market in Canada. The prosperity of the lumber industry and in a measure of the fisheries lies in the export production, while home consumption gives them their backbone. In brief, almost most of our great manufacturing industries are, when they are prospering, great exporters. The home market is their life-blood as they grow to proportions which enable them to drive their place in competition with the world. In fact the home market is the key to all world trade development, the mainspring of industrial employment.

But, more than any other country, Canada is interested in export markets for the development of its great resources and products thereof. These resources, of course, furnish the great bulk of the Dominion's new wealth, and to bring about the most favourable disposition of that wealth is the business of government.

All of which, to this point, may read a dismal survey of the past and a grim outlook toward the future. The future, however, is not dismal. We have not turned the corner toward the gold old-times, but we have made some progress in meeting present conditions, and if the general concensus of editorial comment is accepted, we have in Premier Bennett the man best fitted to see and to understand the world conditions and trends; the man best fitted to lead the country in a time when leadership and leadership is most necessary, when physical strength, mental keenness and moral courage are the great requirements.

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ORCHESTRAS.

French Critic Says Americans Are Best.

Henry Prunieres, the French music correspondent of the New York Times, upon his return to Paris after a visit to the United States, has written his impressions of the leading American orchestras, with interesting comment on the year or five years of perfection" over European orchestras, the major reasons as everyone knows, being more money for men, conductors, instruments and rehearsals. He says in the Times:

"To make any sort of comparison between an organization of this standard and the orchestras of Paris, or indeed, with the best in Europe, is out of the question. It is enough to say that if the Berlin Philharmonic Orchestra, which is the best in Europe, in my opinion, were to visit America, it would be adjudged as being in the fifth or sixth rank, certainly below that of the Chicago Symphony Orchestra, which seems to me to be inferior to those in Boston, Philadelphia and New York.

"No doubt this is caused by the fact that the various European orchestras are made up of personnels which follow too strictly purely mechanistic lines. The Germans excel on brass instruments and the clarinets. The quartets of their orchestras, composed of musicians who, individually, do not have a very fine tone, produce a fine effect, thanks to the admirable discipline which obtains there. The French possess incomparable woodwinds and the Italians are distinguished by their mastery of wind instrument playing in general, while the Russians, Poles, Czechs and Hungarians surpass in the string sections.

"The great American orchestras are essentially cosmopolitan in character. They secure the best orchestra musicians of the world and employ instruments of the highest quality."

LITTLE CITY OF DIVORCE.

Reno Is a Thriving Community With Lovely Homes.

With only about 18,000 inhabitants, Reno is the largest town in the Nevada. Across the main street an electrically lighted arch flings its proud boast: "The Biggest Little City in the World." It is a thriving community with lovely homes and delightful people. But its prosperity is nourished by tragedy. It is built on broken homes and shattered hopes.

In Reno during 1929 2,071 divorces were granted and 35 other marriages were annulled, writes Mary Mullett in the Toronto Star Weekly. Divorce seekers spend three or four million dollars a year in Reno. Just to give you an idea of what the divorce business means to the town's other business, imagine a place of that size with 47 hotels, 35 beauty parlors, 25 cleaners and dyers, 120 lawyers. I compared these figures with those for a somewhat larger Iowa town. It had only five hotels, four beauty parlors, 20 lawyers, and so on.

"Wouldn't it be a good thing," I said to a prominent Reno citizen, "if there were uniform divorce laws throughout the United States?"

"I suppose so," he admitted, "but it would mean assassination for this town."

The divorce colony consists, at any one time, of about 1,000 persons, about 700 being divorce seekers, the remainder relatives, friends or servants. Though there are now no divorce seekers in around thirty. Most are well-to-do. The largest continent supplied from Reno is New York, chief source of supply are New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Massachusetts, Illinois and Canada. On an average, they have been married about ten years. Two-thirds of them are women.

ONE EVERY 5,000,000 MILES.

Average Traffic Regulation on This Continent Superior to Any.

That the efficiency of the average traffic control system is far greater than many motorists consider is shown, according to the American Motorists' Association, by figures recently compiled by that organization, which point out that there is only one automobile fatality in 1929 for approximately every 5,000,000 miles travelled.

Although there has been much written about the growing number of deaths resulting from traffic accidents, the association believes these figures are a time when public interest as evidence of efficacy of modern methods of traffic control, when there is considered the tremendous burden placed on the streets and highways by the ever - increasing vehicular and pedestrian traffic.

The tendency to deplore the amount of traffic fatalities, and blame many of them on traffic regulation measures is not justified, the organization points out, but it is considered that besides the evidence supplied by these figures, the control and regulation of traffic on this continent is much superior to that in existence in any other part of the world, and that plans contemplated for taking care of future traffic will undoubtedly bring about a steadily decreasing ratio of the present accident and fatality rate.

Reckless Monkeys.

A formidable addition to the risks that await the motorist is provided by a message from Algiers. A native of the country chartered an auto taxi in order to go from Mallitot to Boufic. While passing through the defile at Tizi-Nkouls he perceived a troop of apes come full on the temple and died without receiving any assistance.

It appears that the monkeys of the region, like the Afridis, are organized fighting units which guard their feud with the utmost ferocity, hurling stones of large calibre at each other. On this particular occasion the road along the defile was a battleground, and the unfortunate passenger receded the fire of an unusually lusty simian warrior.

Twenty or More Floors.

There are 377 structures of twenty or more floors in the United States, about half of them being in New York City.

THE COST OF TOBACCO

Figures supplied by the annual report of the Dominion Experimental Station at Farnham, Que., show that it cost $126.52 to produce an acre of good tobacco. The total yield was 1,977 lbs. and the cost per pound 11½ cents.

Sacrificing to Speed

When Li Hung Chang was touring America and was being shown by one of the lords of industry, he was told by one of the railroad kings of the United States that his system had put on a crack train which saved six hours between New York and Chicago. This question the oriental philosopher-prince quietly enquired: "What do you do with these six hours after you reach Chicago?"

All high-powered auto salesmen today dilate with pride on the power of the cars they would sell. It is all very well to do sixty when there is any necessity for speed, but why go sixty when there is no necessity?

On one of those wondrous October days in New England I drove back from the country club with a friend. The chauffeur was instructed to take "Valley Road," whereby we could save twenty minutes." The autumn coloring was at its height, and the western sun flooded the hillsides with liquid gold and the big trees now and then cast long, damp shadows across our woodsy road. It was a glorious afternoon for leisurely pleasure, but instead of feasting our souls we saved twenty minutes by averaging between fifty and sixty miles an hour.

My three nephews in high school have the same idea. They can figure the horse-power of different makes of gasoline engines, can expiate by the hour on the strong and weak points of outboard motors, know all about the levers and controls of airplanes; but they don't know what we found at their age—where the dainty lady's slipper grows, when frogs lay their eggs, of whether or not the oriole and robin belong to the same family.

We haven't time for reading today. Nearly every four percent child of business and sleep is spent at the movies or in the auto. Instead of canvassing a club of some six hundred business and professional men as to how many had read a popular, light book, "Well's Outline of History"—only five had read it. Such a thing would not have been possible thirty years ago.

On any Sunday you will find streams of autos, all headed out of town, all going like mad, and all making the countryside hideous with raucous honking. Most of them are going nowhere—just taking a ride; and they are riding to no purpose. They have long forgotten how to enjoy the woods and fields. The smell of burning gasoline is sweeter in their nostrils than the odor of violets in their native haunts. They are ignorant of the sights and sounds of flowers, insect and bird life. As far as the beauties of the country go, they might just as well be spending on some auto race-course.

The great mass of our people are obsessed by this mania for speed. They neither have the patience nor, I fear, the ability to get down to fundamentals and think things through to a sound and logical conclusion. This craving for speed has been woven into the texture of the modern mind. Consequently a majority of our people lack the stick-to-itiveness to delve into the depths of any subject, but jackrasistically skim the surface of all questions, and at breakneck speed. Most of the writers nowadays are like their readers. And our readers, unaware for the most part that there are any depths to be plumbed, ferverishly adopt the shallowest and most contradictory of vaporings as solid foundations. If the incongruity of their tradictory positions arrest their attention at all, it only results in the self-complaisant conclusion that they are so "liberal" that they can entertain all sorts of hostile ideas with equal impartiality.

Clear and accurate thinking can only be accomplished when the sense of hurried pressure is removed. It requires a daily hour of leisure over many weeks to gather the data to be considered in thinking through any problem worth while. It requires more time to analyse and weigh the evidence. And all this can only take place if the mind is free and buoyant, not if it is held in a vise. It is the over-powering impulse to be constantly rushing hither and yon without rhyme or reason.

This habit of thinking diverts the mind from the biological side of nature to its mechanistic side—from the living, growing, unfolding things to the hard and fixed things of physics and mechanics. Consequently all trains of thought are finer impulses of feeling, which are engendered by close contact with daisied fields and mossy glades and murmuring brooks are neglected and lost love the glitter of the movie stars.

This mania for speed is incompatible with the basic elements of culture. Let's slow down a bit and develop our souls.

HEAT TO CLEAR GLASS

In order to avoid sleet freezing on the windshields of motors, a good device is to unfasten the rear hood at the engine hood and raise the hood slightly so that the heat from the engine will strike the windshield. The wind is blowing across the car, the use of a pasteboard box to carry the heat closer to the glass is recommended.

CANADA CAN EXTEND TRADE WITH CHILE

Of all the countries of South America to which the attention of the commercial world is being drawn, Chile offers the most satisfactory field for new development, according to Dr. Augustin Francisco J. deLima, consul of that republic in an address delivered this week in Chicago.

The progressive development of Chile, in both agriculture and industry, offers openings particularly to manufacturers of machinery. Canadian motor car manufacturers might well profit by the increasing use of motor cars and trucks on the growing system of modern highways.

Chile is in a better position than most other South American countries, said Mr. de Lima, because of her political stability. Disturbances such as occur frequently in neighboring states, although else important than generally supposed, are unknown in Chile, where there has been no revolution worthy of the name of revolution in the past 130 years.

The fact that was worthy of note regarding their republic was that it had never yet failed to pay any debts.

News Of Women's Organizations

BEIDVILLE W. I.

The regular meeting of the Beidville Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. R. J. Wilson, November 26th, with sixteen members and five visitors present. The roll call was answered by a remedy for colds, burns, or poisons, many good remedies being given. It was decided that a box of Christmas cheer be sent to a family in the neighborhood.

Three new babies of the community were presented, with baskets, and the secretary decided to also open bank accounts for two adopted babies. The expense for the Hallowe'en party and the delegates' expenses to the convention were ordered paid.

Mrs. Keech, Mrs. Wagar and Mrs. Reid, thanked the Institute for letters and remembrances.

Visitors with us Mrs. Boyce, our District President, and Mrs. Amey, our District Secretary. Mrs. Boyce gave us a very helpful and instructive address. Mrs. F. C. Reid gave a paper on "Thrift," Mrs. Amey gave a demonstration of taking a patient's temperature, by Mrs. D. Keech. Mrs. E. Fingland favoured the members with a musical selection. After this, tickets were drawn for an exchange of Xmas gifts.

A vote of thanks was then moved to Mrs. Boyce for her address. The meeting closed with the National Anthem, after which lunch was served and collection taken.

The December meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. A. Fingland.

VIOLET - SWITZERVILLE W. I.

The Violet-Switzerville Women's Institute met for their December meeting on Thursday, December 11th, at the home of Mrs. E. A. Wright. Mrs. McCaffrey presided while the secretary read the minutes of the last meeting. We were pleased to have the Carden East ladies as our guests, who furnished a splendid programme. Mrs. A. M. Robinson took charge of the meeting, while the following items were given:— Mrs. McDonald gave a paper on "Hygiene of Cheerfulness"; Mrs. Hilto Robinson, Instrumental; Mrs. Smedley, "America's Cleanest Industry"; Mrs. G. Black, a recitation.. Mrs. A. M. Robinson, a paper on "Blanket Tuney"; Miss Pearl Oster, a demonstration of dressing a doll for a bed ornament; Mrs. A. Lewis, "Old Memories"; Mrs. Hilton Robinson, instrumental; Mrs. Harry Robinson and Mrs. Jos. Lewis presented a contest.

This programme was thoroughly enjoyed by everyone and a vote of thanks was conveyed to the Carden East Institute for their hearty co-operation. A candy contest was given, which proved a real treat for all.

Our hospitable hostess, assisted by the committee, served lovely refreshments.

The meeting closed with the National Anthem.

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RUSSIAN-MANGANESE IS SHIPPED TO CANADA

Some 3,000 tons of manganese from a Black Sea port in Russia were unloaded at Montreal this week. The manganese will be transhipped for midwestern destinations in Canada and the United States.

According to the Canadian information, this is the first time in the history of the port that Russian manganese has been brought to Canada, although manganese from West Africa is not unknown in the harbor of Montreal.

SCHOOL REPORTS

The following is the Christmas report of School Section No. 4, South Predericksburgh:—

Second year High School — Freda Brooks, honors.

Class IV—Edna Galt, honors; Eleanor Garrison, Mary Layst, Victor Brooks.

Sr. III—Evelyn Campbell.

Jr. III—Evan Brooks, Merton Powell, Donald Brule.

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Derelict Was Seen From the Shore of Lonely Tristan da Cunha and Then She Vanished—Was She the Kobenhavn?

The greatest sea mystery of modern years is without doubt that of the Danish sailing ship Kobenhavn, writes A. J. Villiers in Answers. The Kobenhavn was the largest and best-equipped sailing vessel in the world. She was a splendid, big, five-masted barque of well over 5,000 tons, built in Scotland since the war for a Danish company to use as a training ship for cadet officers.

She carried some sixty apprentices, drawn from the best Danish families, and with officers, sailors, supernumeries, and so on, her crew numbered about 100. She was a splendid ship with a splendid crew. She was equipped with wireless, and had on board the latest gear for everything had suddenly happened to her, could she have sent a message that would have hurried S.O.S? But nothing was heard.

Tristan da Cunha lay directly in the path of the Kobenhavn. Early in January 21st, 1929, which would be about a month after the Kobenhavn set sail from Buenos Ayres, it was reported that a derelict sailing ship, apparently unmanned, and seriously out only sail, drifted close by the island.

One of the missionaries saw her. The ship, he said, was painted black with a broad white band, which was the color of the Kobenhavn. There was something, he added, very strange about her. He appeared like a phantom ship out of the mist, coming from nowhere, going nowhere. She was seen for a little while, and then she was gone.

When the missionary returned to England I wrote to him, asking for fuller particulars, which he was kind enough to give.

"There is no doubt about the ship we saw," he wrote. "Long before I knew the ship was missing I could describe her fairly accurately. She was five-masted, but her fore or mast mast was broken. A huge white band around the hull was the most prominent mark. It was on January 21st that she passed. The course she was sailing was due north, and she would, in the ordinary course of events, have struck upon our beach where the island was steep-to.

"However, when still a long way off (possibly two miles) she altered, and she seemed to be drifting to the eastward, and it was at this time that we made our way down to the beach and reach for our boats, which are made fast all. We noticed that she did not gradually crawl past and run inside the reefs to the west side of the island, but seemed to be entirely new to be using only one small jib, which appeared to be set from the bow to the mainmast. There was a very low in the water—almost down to the rails—and around her.

"This was all seen through glasses, from a distance of about three miles. And as soon as we could see one could hardly be mistaken. The usual way to pass the island to reefs marked on them, and this is very dangerous, as the island is practically a mile of the shore when we last saw her, and the reefs stand out about a mile and a quarter, so she was well inside.

"Several things have since been washed ashore, but, of course, I cannot say that they belonged to her. Several cases with boot polish on, boxes about three feet long, by eight inches broad by eight inches deep, and then a thirty-foot, flat-bottomed boat last September.

"To me it is a complete mystery, but I think it would have been almost impossible for her to have cut her cables and gone to sea. Many questions remain to be answered. Why didn't she drop a lifeboat on chance? Were her crew all dead? Or had she been abandoned before reaching land? To such questions as these I can only answer that I do not know."

Now, the Kobenhavn was the most unmistakable ship on earth. She was unique. She was the only five-masted barque afloat. The last missionary saw a five-masted barque, it most certainly was the Kobenhavn.

But it was found, a long time afterwards, that the Finnish four-masted barque Ponape actually passed within sight of Tristan da Cunha on the very day that the missionary saw this strange ship. A layman might easily be confused about the number of masts in such questions at the distance. The Ponape was the same color as the Kobenhavn, but much smaller. She had only four masts.

But there is the possibility—very remote, it is true—that the Kobenhavn actually was seen from Tristan da Cunha, as alleged, and that it is perhaps far from probable, but it is not to be dismissed as entirely impossible.

What actually occurred will probably never be known. Ten days or two years since the ship sailed, and she should have done the passage in three days at the most. Her fate is as great a mystery as ever. Whether she was near anywhere near Tristan da Cunha or not, she holds her bones and hides her fate.

Unearthing Coin Hoards.

Hoards of coins dating back to the second century B.C. have been unearthed in Mesopotamia near Bagdad by the Toledo - Michigan - Cleveland expedition.

Natural Mistake. A man and his wife were having tea in a fashionable restaurant.

"Shall we dance, dear?" asked the husband rising from his chair.

"Not now, dear, I'm always playing," replied his wife. "The waiter dropped a tray of china."—Fort William Times-Journal.

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Authorities are constantly on the alert to prevent dishonest and ignorant manufacturers, who have entered the field, from cheating consumers and destroying the good reputation which the canning industry has earned.

Not Up-To-Date. A travelling sales man found himself in a village hotel dining room when a heavy downpour of rain set in. Addressing the waitress, he remarked: "It looks like the Flood."

"Like what ?" the girl inquired.

"Like the Flood. You've read of the Flood and how the ark landed on Mount Ararat, haven't you?"

"No, sir. I haven't seen a newspaper for three days," confessed the waitress. —Exchange.

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"Miracles at Verdun"

(By Henry G. Alvin, in N. Y. Times)

Wunder um Verdun ("Miracles Seen at Verdun"), a new play by Hans Chlumberg, now in its premiere performances in the Leipzig Schauspielhaus, promises to renew in its essentials the German-speaking territory, and should be the most imposing piece of work the American stages will season. It is a war play, yet, like Remarque's novel, "All Quiet on the Western Front," is not the hackneyed sort of a drudge recorder of events. The play has poetic and dramatic beauty of a rare order. If one feels in it a pulsing pessimism it is at least rejected by a noble, stout quality far removed from the whine and grumble of many of these affairs.

At the zenith of departure young Alberg took a passage from Ezechiel's diagrams the resurrection of the great army by that prophet. Having once this dominant tone, he has constructed thirteen stage pictures dealing with the rising from the graves of 11,000,000 soldiers of the World War on the twentieth anniversary of its declaration.

The prologue of the play introduces a host of tourists of all nations who come to a cemetery near Verdun, a unique mass grave where French and German soldiers are buried together. We learn here that there will be a solemn celebration of all the churches will offer up prayers for the glorious resurrection fallen heroes.

Important scenes along in the Prussian Field Marshal Hindenburg, who is busy with the demagogy of Hitlerism, at their Unknown Soldiers' shrine. A sharp contrast is made in the resurrection scene at midnight, when officers and senior men of War come dashing over from—their graves near by, filled with wrathful indignation at the sight of the ruin. Everything only to retreat in horror from the scene that has happened.

There parable episodes now depict the reception of this startling news by the Ministers of France, England and Germany. The Frenchman is showing in the bed of his mistress—as he would have expected, one Gretchen observes—the stolid German, and, not to be outdone, the English are cowering in bed, mulling over the news of the day. They all refuse to be disturbed about it, and, ignoring everything to be had, usurped by the German gentleman. The old men, hatched mother, formerly well-to-do, plodding out for life as a servant in a hotel, and his wife in misery in distress while the slackers rip over. Hailed as heroes from the dead they are now considered dangerous interlopers, the hand of the Allied powers is shocked, and the comic coup in a conference in Paris, Quai d'Orsay. A pleasantly funny scene is that which seeks solution to the problems created by the resurrection of the dead. Germany needs to feed in an already overpopulated world. They hear the opinions of the scientific authority—and of the world-churches. All join unanimously in declaring this unhallowed resurrection to be the work of the devil.

In the midst of this lifting, over a motley declamation of the artisan principles in. Their questions go on up to the point and [illegible] into deep embarrassment, especially when they waiff to know why world needs even more militarists than before they made their sacrifices. Even Ambassadors of the potentiate countries there is a battle which is stilled only by the [illegible] of the American delegate. The unhappy resurrected wretches, their extermination was the only solution that was to [illegible] and [illegible] clergyman and politician [illegible] amens.

As the last member of this forlorn host to parts, a prelate brings the news of the [illegible] he has made a mistake—the Pope has had a comfort from God to sanction the mistake.

Back in the cemetery the last scene shows that it was all the vision of Arsonne veteran, yet so specific [illegible] are Chlumberg's psychological [illegible] during the development of the drama, that, far from [illegible] as an antichmax, he holds [illegible] attention of the audience till the curtain fall. For it is not only [illegible] that we hear, not all the [illegible] theme and plot of Wunden Verdun" that makes it tower [illegible] and [illegible] above any other [illegible] to the modern German stage; it is the poetic quality, the power [illegible] humanity. The [illegible] breadth of Chlumberg's [illegible].

Columns could be filled with the heaped praises of such a scene as the [illegible] in the graveyard, and [illegible] the most moving and beautiful stage episode of many [illegible] And the bare simplicity and healthy [illegible] with which Chlumberg achieved such fine [illegible] [illegible] his [illegible] perfectly understandable diction, [illegible] to be counted among the miracles.

That the work of this so talented dramatist should have had to cease with "Wunder um Verdun" is a grave loss to the world of the theatre. But as Hans Chlumberg's play was dazzling its first-night audience the young author was breathing his last in a Leipzig hospital. At one of the last rehearsals he carelessly stepped onto a [illegible] in the orchestra pit which broke through and let him drop a few feet. Two days later he felt ill. He was taken to hospital and underwent an operation for concussion of the brain. Once for only a few moments, he recovered consciousness and asked if he could die. The doctors made light of his question, but he assured them: "I know that I'll die, those dead soldiers, in revenge for my having resurrected them, in such a world, are taking me down into their grave."

PADEREWSKI.

Gives Him Great Pleasure to Play to Canadian Audiences.

On the afternoon of Paderewski's recent visit to Toronto, writes Bowden Smart in the Toronto Star Weekly, I was invited to the car "Silver" to meet the Polish pianist. I had met the great pianist first made obeisance to the Polish [illegible] of a generation ago, when Ignace Jan Paderewski was Prime Minister of Poland. I found the famous musician looking very much older—his head, so long like, grayer with the advancing years. His hand, however, seemed as strong as ever, with a grip like an athlete's.

He told me that his next visit would probably be his last to Toronto, and that these long journeys were tiring even with all the comforts of my car," he said. His enquiry is ever [illegible] in his thoughts, even though, as he stated, he is now out of politics. He expressed the opinion that Poland was secure even between the surging sea of Slavonic power on the east and German enterprise on the west. Paderewski said that Poland owed a deep debt of gratitude to Canada for many reasons, among them the fact that in 1917 twenty-two thousand Polish volunteers trained under Canadian officers at Niagara-on-the-Lake. "It is always a great pleasure for me to play to Canadian audiences," he said. "They are always so appreciative. I have often thought that this may be because of the number of my audience who are of Scottish descent. I noticed the same strong music-loving instinct in Edinburgh and other Scottish cities."

After the seven encores that completed Paderewski's concert I was called to his room to say good-bye. There were only some ten or twelve people admitted. He shook hands with a girl friend and myself, and then, turning to the others present, he said, "I cannot stay any longer and [illegible] my hands are too tired —and I cannot shake hands with any others to-night." He [illegible] me, he said. "It has been a happy occasion to meet you, and I hope one day to have a longer visit." Just recently I received a letter from him from the United States, containing a set of the stamps of Poland issued when he was Prime Minister, and signed by him on his 74th birthday. Certainly a kindly though from so great a man, and I thought he had forgotten all about me.

DESCRIBES NAPOLEON.

Captain Gives Intimate Pen-Picture of the ex-Emperor.

The following is a unique pen-picture of Napoleon, who in exile at St. Helena, was visited by the Welland family. Mr. Capt. A. Bland, of the Hon. Lincoln Bella Club, wrote in 1816:

"Can you believe that I have not only had the gratification of seeing, but conversed with, and being introduced and of conversing with him? I have seen him walk, and so far as I can judge in so short a time as the interview lasted—about a quarter of an hour—he is not [illegible] in appearance, without an effort of imagination believe him to be the same person I left in 1814. He is [illegible] [illegible] and, from his having become very stout—not corpulent—his legs appear too short and small for the upper part of his person. His countenance is broad and, I think, too thick to admit of his having either mirth or sensibility. I have contemplating many of our party thought he had. Indeed, his manners were so unaffected, and as far as he could make them to a party of English) conciliating, that most of them [illegible] [illegible] have become Bonapartists."

THE POSTCARD.

Vienna Postal Authorities Issued the First Cards in 1869.

Postcards were not a British invention. In 1869, Dr. Emanuel Hermann of Vienna was cathering [illegible] for a book, and when sending round for inquiries he felt the need for something more simple than a letter. So he [illegible] that was taken up by the Vienna postal authorities, who issued the first postcards in October of that year, and many of them came to England.

But the British Post Office [illegible] them a year later (there were scenes of great excitement at St. Martin's-le-Grand, where the crowd trying to buy them had to be regulated by [illegible]. At first the post office sorters had a rather troublesome time; nobody knew where to write the address.

Long money to pay on, less effort to write, but, nearly all the immense popularity. The price was a halfpenny and the card itself cost a penny, a fairly good deal in those days. In the first year 75 millions were sold and just before the Great War a thousand million a year were being used. A small charge was made in 1871 to cover the cost of manufacture; this was removed in 1911 and re-imposed during the war.

Memorial to First Printer.

A fund has been established at Weimar, Germany, for the erection of a memorial to be known as the "Gutenberg Stone," in honor of Gutenberg's discovery of movable type. The memorial, the cornerstone of which will be laid in 1940, the fifth centenary of his invention, will be placed over Gutenberg's grave at Mainz.

It is planned to enlist international co-operation for the building of the temple, which is intended to constitute evidence of the world's gratitude to the father of books, magazines and newspapers. The movement was inaugurated by the Society of Bibliophiles of Weimar.

Collecting Himself. Waiter: "Mr. Brown's left his umbrella again. I believe he'd leave his head if it were loose."

Manager: "I dare say you're right. I heard him say only yesterday he was going to Switzerland for his lungs."—Pathfinder.

REPORT OF TALK ON SCARLET FEVER

How children may be protected against Scarlet Fever was the subject of the latest lecture in the "Radio College of Health" series broadcast today by the Canadian Social Hygiene Council over a number of Stations.

"Our attack of Scarlet Fever, is a [illegible] protects an individual," the lecturer stated, "but cases are on record of a second and even a third attack. The reason why one attack usually immunizes a person for life against the disease is this. The germs of diseases of this type produce a poison or toxin which spreads through the system. Our bloodstream is equipped to resist the effects of this toxin. When the blood-stream experiences one encounter with the toxin of a disease of this type, the system develops certain substances which it did not possess before and which render harmless the germs of the disease in question. Some people are less equipped to do this than others, however, and these are occasionally attacked more than once.

"When scientists found the Scarlet Fever toxin they began to experiment with it, hoping to be able to produce artificially that substance which the blood produces naturally in defending the body against future attacks. They succeeded so nowadays it is possible to secure artificial immunity to this disease, whereas in former years it was necessary to actually experience one attack of it in order to be reasonably immune to all future ones.

"This immunization is accomplished by injecting carefully graduated doses of the sterile toxin produced by these germs. The toxin is first injected in small doses, then in gradually increasing doses, which have been injected to stimulate the body to produce anti-toxin. The toxin used does not contain any germs and of itself is incapable of causing any disease or injury. A person treated this process has his own anti-toxin, goes about his business and becomes immune to Scarlet Fever without developing the disease.

"Doctors, however, do not advise having every child treated with this immunizing substance in the way they do advise having children immunized against Diphtheria. It is interesting to know why. First of all, let us note the fact that it is generally supposed that Scarlet Fever is more contagious. This is usually true because so many adults have actually had the disease, even without knowing it. This may seem rather amazing, but the fact is, that it is possible to have Scarlet Fever in the form of a sore throat alone. This is often enough to immunize the individual concerned against further attacks from the germ. But unless adults have had the disease in a way they remain susceptible to it all their lives. Now since so many people are susceptible to Scarlet Fever [illegible] attempting to control the epidemic. We would be immunizing many people unnecessarily.

"Therefore you can readily see that it is important to devise some method of selecting those susceptible to Scarlet Fever in order to know who should be immunized before the risk is available to devise such a test. The material used in this is a dilute solution of Scarlet Fever toxin which has been very carefully standardized. If the person tested is susceptible to the disease a pink spot appears where the needle was pushed through the skin within [illegible] This spot begins to fade in a short time."

CLAIMS ADVANCE IN TELEVISION

Television as a potential and valuable adjunct to radio in the home, is reported to have been demonstrated with success in Paris, France, by M. Barthelemy, a prominent French experimenter in the field, [illegible]

The report shows that figures were produced in the atmosphere in clear detail and in colors, the images were not blurred in outline, and facial features were so perfectly [illegible] as to permit easy recognition of individuals. M. Barthelemy claims that his apparatus has attained a state of perfection that is far not reached in other countries. He explained that in a year's study of television there has been put in the intention of constructing an apparatus which, in simplicity, will produce a receiving apparatus for the home.

CANADIAN BUTTER RANCHING HONG KONG

World travellers who have occasion to stay over at Hong Kong, may be interested to learn that has a quality flavour. A British Columbia creamery has recently been awarded a contract by a Hong Kong firm for provision merchants for the shipment of 20 tons to 1,220,000 ounces, valued at $39,861.663, compared with a production of 1,800,592 ounces, valued at $58,819,663 in 1928. Six provinces of Canada and the Yukon Territory produced gold in 1929 as follows: Ontario, 1,252,267 ounces; British Columbia, 154,204 ounces; Quebec, 90,798 ounces, Yukon Territory 35,882 ounces; Manitoba 22,455 ounces; Nova Scotia 2,687 ounces, and Alberta [illegible] ounces. Porcupine and Kirkland Lake areas contributed practically the whole of the output of the province.

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BRITISH WAR BOOKS BEST

There was no scope for drink or immorality in Gallipoli — only for immortality.

Those who wanted to sling mud had to go sixty miles back to the base at Mudros, where, as a civilian wrote home to Australia: "Officers are swallowing in ice with wounded soldiers dying of shirt hard by," and where someone else said of the ship Aragon, in Mudros Harbor, that there was so much whisky drunk on board of her that she ran aground upon her own empty bottles.

Luckily for us there was a judicial inquiry—the Royal Commission on the Dardanelles. They inquired into these matters, and found them to be lies.

It would be better for the holding together of this Empire that there should be a new Royal Commission to inquire into the conduct of the war on the Western Front than that these stories of suicides, murders, drunken executions, and immorality should carry on unchecked.

Then some of these clever writers would be put through the mill of cross-examination by a clever counsel, and the public would then see—either true pictures of a real war or Mammon disguised in the uniform of an old soldier.—London Mail.

BITING LICE CONTROL

Entomologists of the Federal Department of Agriculture find the use of nicotine sulphate (Black Leaf 40) applied 7 to 8 ounces per 100 feet of perch) extremely effective in the control of biting lice on poultry. A recent experiment of five pens of eleven infected birds each; from one application of nicotine sulphate to the perches shortly before the birds went to roost gave the following results in dead lice:

Pen No.	Dead Lice Collected		
	Large	Small	Totals
1	58	650	708
2	164	2,309	2,473
3	39	1,525	1,553
4	244	1,654	1,898
5	50	2,010	2,060

A total of 8,692 lice were collected from the fifty-five hens an average infestation of 164 per bird. The effectiveness of the control medium is shown by the fact that when the treatment was repeated ten days later only 26 lice were found on this lot of hens. Care must be exercised in using nicotine sulphate to provide good ventilation and an ample circulation of air.

MANY SIGN UP

Saskatchewan and Quebec are so far the only provinces in Canada which have no entries in the Hatchery Approval scheme of the Federal Department of Agriculture. British Columbia has 24 entries, Alberta 1, Manitoba 2, Ontario 23, New Brunswick 1, Nova Scotia 2, and Prince Edward Island 1, a total of 54. The combined egg capacities of these hatcheries indicates that there will be around 2,000,000 approved chicks for sale in Canada in 1931. The main advantage of the scheme is that a government inspection and supervision under the Hatchery Approval Policy will establish a high standard guaranteed before the hatching season starts.

THE BLUEBERRY BUSINESS

Blueberries represent probably Canada's greatest unorganized industry. No modern methods for cultivating or harvesting have as yet made their appearance in the commercial trade and as a perficial idea of the volume of production is obtainable. They represent both a wild fruit and fruit from bush and as the present time there are some 600,000 lbs. held in storage in Canada and about 1 Only about one-tenth of this quantity will be used in Canada. — Department of Agriculture, Ottawa.

WHAT CROPS COST IN NEW ONTARIO

The Dominion Experimental Farm at Kapuskasing, in its annual report just published, provides some interesting figures as to cost and value per acre of crop production. Included in the report are the following:

Crop	Cost	Value	Profit
Spring Wheat	26.26	$37.40	$10.45
Alaska Oats	23.75	27.29	3.54
Barley	27.66	33.22	5.26
Hay	14.91	17.25	3.34
Sunflowers	34.47	21.84	
Oats, peas, vetch	30.25	11.91	
Potatoes	74.45	273.84	199.39

GOOD BEEF IS FAT

The depth of the lean and the thickness of the fat are general indications of the quality of beef. Good beef should be uniform in colour, the cut surface being a bright red. The flesh should be tender, yet firm and elastic to the touch. It should be well mottled or "marbled" with white fat, and covered with a good layer of flaky, creamy white fat. The inside fat, such as the suet, should be brittle or crumbly, creamy white in colour. The bones should be soft and porous and pinkish to red in colour. Hard, white, flinty bones are an indication of age. Exposure to air may darken beef on the outside without detracting from its eating qualities. To be good beef must carry a reasonable amount of fat. An excessively lean beef represents neither food value, flavour or economy.—Federal Beef Grading Service.

USE COD LIVER OIL

An abundant supply of Vitamin D is required to keep laying hens productive and healthy during the long winter months when they are shut in. It is the presence of this vitamin which assists assimilation of the minerals calcium and phosphorous in the production of eggs and egg-shells. The value of cod liver oil for poultry feeding depends entirely on its vitamine content only reliably tested brands should be used. Crude cod liver oil is unfitable for poultry and is not expensive. In the dry mash feed one pint of oil to each one hundred pounds of mash is a good ration, while with a wet mash or other feed one to two teaspoonfuls to each twelve birds has been found adequate. — Dominion Experimental Farm Note.

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FOR BETTER VALUES

News and Information For the Farmer

Coming Events

Annual meeting of the Ontario Agricultural and Experimental Union at O. A. C. on January 6th and 7th.

Annual convention Eastern Ontario Dairymen at Cornwall, January 7th and 8th.

Annual convention, Western Ontario Dairymen at London, January 14th and 15th.

Potato Grading Regulations

While there is a marked improvement on the part of potato growers in the grading and marking of their product for sale, the general practice still falls short of requirements under the Federal Root and Vegetables Act. The Dominion Fruit Commissioner states that in Ontario alone over fifty infractions have been dealt with by his inspection staff so far this year. The simplest requirements for marketing potatoes are: They must be graded "Canada No. 1," "Canada No. 2," "Canada No. 3," or "Canada Primes." Each grade must be marked by a tag on bags and by stencilling on barrels or other containers, the marking to show the name and address of the grower and the grade of potatoes in the package. The regulations for grading and marking potatoes apply throughout Canada and infractions involve serious penalties.

Winter Care of Live Stock

With the approach of winter, farmers should make sure that the barns in which their stock are to pass the cold months are clean and free from possible infectious diseases or parasites. Most progressive stockmen whitewash their stables at least once a year, but frequent flushings with an old broom are needed to keep the cobwebs and dust down. Before the cattle leave the pastures, they should be given a treatment to inspect the whole herd for possible skin diseases or parasites. Such diseases as ring-worm, scab or mange, lice or warbles, are dangerous and each needs special treatment. Ring-worm is doubly dangerous because humans may contract it through handling or from curry-combs and brushes. One pint of iodine applied daily following washing with soap and water will cure ringworm. Scabies or mange need to be dipped in or sprayed with special solutions such as crude petroleum or equal parts of kerosene and cottonseed oil, which mixture is also recommended for lice. No animal can give its best milk production or put on flesh when feeding such parasites.

Essay Contests

Two of the interesting sidelights taking on at the recent Royal Winter Fair were the Essay Contest and the T. Eaton O. A. C. scholarship examination. In the former, each boy may write a composition of 1,000 words respecting the trip. The best essay in each of fifty-one counties is eligible for the provincial championship prizes. These consist of a trip to Toronto to receive a free two-weeks' Short Course at O. A. C. The T. Eaton scholarship of $100 towards a two-year course at the O. A. C. is awarded to the four boys in the County of Ontario standing writing the best examination paper. These contests have stimulated keen duction of eggs and egg-shells. A wide value of cod liver oil for poultry feeding depends entirely on its vitamine content only reliably tested brands should be used. Crude cod liver oil is unfitable for poultry and is not expensive. In the dry mash feed one pint of oil to each one' hundred pounds of mash is a good ration, while with a wet mash or other feed one to two teaspoonfuls to each twelve birds has been found adequate. — Dominion Experimental Farm Note.

Crop Report by Counties

Little change is indicated in the marketing condition in Brant County with little produce going to market. Over three tons of poultry were graded at the Wheatsheaf Poultry Fair in Dundas County and will be marketed through the farmers' pool. A very small amount of alfalfa hay has moved in Haldimand with prices from $10 to $12 per ton. Seven thousand barrels of apples have been shipped out of the Georgian Bay district, with another seven thousand barrels on hand, according to the report from Gery. An increase in the amount of registered seed grain in Hastings is forecast with in conformity with the demand for [illegible] Three cars of turkeys were shipped recently from Lambton to the Buffalo market, with fair prices obtained. The number of fully accredited herds in Leeds is now 105, as compared with 72 a year ago. Lincoln farmers are paying from $16 to $18 per ton for good alfalfa in the loose, while factories report a satisfactory season as far as quantity is concerned, but laments the low prices. Dairymen in Peel have been notified to weed out the low-testing cows or else be shut off from the dairies. Live stock in Ontario are in good condition as food is plentiful and cheap. Comparatively little demand for grain and seeds is reported from Renfrew and grain and stall-fed geese was sold at the Arthur Street Pair in Wellington last week with good prices obtained for the quality product.

In view of the probable establishment of a number of vocational agricultural schools, a big field is looming up for agricultural high school teachers. In an address, Dr. G. I. Christie, president of O. A. C. pointed out that it would be a problem to get qualified instruction for such schools unless attendance at the College is markedly increased.

New Letter Bull Area

After January 1st, 1931, Dufferin County, long known as one of the best producers of commercial beef cattle in Ontario, will be a Better Bull Area. A census taken there in 1928 revealed that 83 per cent of the bulls eight months of age and over were pure-bred. On receipt of this information, the county council framed a Better Bull Bylaw to become effective now. The chief provision of the by-law, which is in conformity with the Protection of Cattle Act, is that no one in the county shall purchase or keep for public service or offer for use or sale except for slaughtering, any bull which is not pure-bred. Material improvement in the live stock of Dufferin County is expected as a result. Among other bylaws having Better Bull Areas are Wellington, Peel and Middlesex.

Junior Farmer Conferences

Large and depdesentative attendances of Junior Farmer leaders were present at conferences held at Kemptville and Guelph during the past ten days. Instructive addresses and much valuable discussion featured the two-day sessions in each centre. Among the topics discussed were: "The Challenge to Agriculture," led by S. E. Todd of the Industrial and Development Council of Canada; "Canada's Farmers and are the Problems of Rural Boys and Girls," by Prof. W. R. Graham, O. A. C.; "What club work to offer the boy wishing to meet and solve the problems," by P. Wade Walsh, of the Agriculture and Immigration Branch, C. N. R.; "The Place of Juniors in the Extension Program," led by Dr. J. B. Reynolds; "The Future of Junior Extension Work in Ontario," by R. S. Duncan; "Changes in Agriculture," by L. H. Newman, Dominion Cerealist. Others speakers were: Principal W. J. Bell, of the Kemptville Agricultural School, Dr. J. P. Booth, Commissioner of the Dominion Department of Agriculture; Dr. G. I. Christie, President of O. A. C.; Denton Massey of Toronto, and Dr. Buchanan, of O.A.C.; and several of the Junior leaders who spoke on "What I can do Back Home." The young farmers who attended these conferences were those who have been giving leadership to various junior farmer projects in their home counties, thus winning the right to attend the larger gatherings. They have returned to their homes with a better conception of the problems of agriculture and the part that young farmers can play in solving them.

HOT WATER TREATMENT CONTROLS LOOSE SMUT

The modified hot water method for the control of loose smut in wheat has been found effective and satisfactory in experimental work conducted at the Indian Head Experimental Farm of the Dominion Department of Agriculture. This method consists of placing the grain in loosely woven sacks and then soaking it in water at 66 degrees F. for four hours to soften the seed and prepare it for the action of hot water. The grain is then transferred to a tank with 112 degrees F. for fifteen or twenty minutes and next into water at 129 degrees F. for exactly ten minutes. This last treatment is very important and should be carried out with the greatest care throughout. When the grain is finally removed from the hot water it may be plunged into cold water for a moment and then spread out to dry, care being taken to see that it does not germinate or freeze.

PLAN TO REDUCE CROSSING ACCIDENTS

With a view to minimizing local crossing accidents, the Canadian National Railways will, during the winter months, paint the front ends of eight self - propelled cars a bright yellow and read as a means of attracting the attention of motorists. These cars, which replace steam locomotives in some sections of the system are equipped with bells and whistles, but are sometimes mistaken at first glance for an ordinary railway coach.

This announcement was made recently by A. McGowan, assistant general superintendent of car equipment.

AREA SOWN TO CROPS

The total area sown to the principal field crops in Canada in 1930 was 68,464,070 acres as compared with 68,204,000 acres in 1929. The acreage sown to wheat was 24,897,900 of which 815,000 acres were fall wheat and the remainder spring wheat. Oats occupied 13,256,706 acres; barley 5,558,700 acres; rye 1,648,050 acres and flaxseed 581,000 acres.

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7.00 p.m. — Evening Worship.
Sermon: "Smoking Wicks."

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Anthem: — "The Kingdom of God," Herbert.
Solo — Mr. Gerald Smith.
Anthem — "An Evensong," Hanna.
January 5th to January 9th—Annual Week of Prayer Services, for the three United Churches. Each evening at 7.30 p.m.
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7.30 p.m. — Evening Service.

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Minister: Rev. Harry Pawson

10.30 a.m. — Public Worship.
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7.00 p.m. — Public Worship.
Organist, Mr. W. R. Gray, L.R.A.M.
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Rev. Harold F. Sanders, B.A., Minister.

11.00 a.m. — Centennial U. E. L. Church.
2.30 p.m. — Sillsville Church.
7.30 p.m. — Conway Church.
Communion Theme: "Prayer."
Sacrament of the Lord's Supper at each service.
The Week of Prayer will be observed from January 4th to January 8th. — Meetings in the homes of the charge, at 8.00 o'clock each evening.

Morven Circuit

Rev. R. W. Street, Pastor.

Morven, Brick Church, 10.30 a.m.—Sacrament of the Lord's Supper.
Violet, 7.00 p.m. — Evening Service.

Bay Circuit

Rev. J. E. Beckel, Pastor.

Hay Bay, 1.30 p.m. — Sunday School.
Hay Bay, 2.30 p.m. — Preaching Service.
Minister, Rev. W. P. Woodger.
Bethany, 1.30 p.m. — Sunday School.
Bethany, 2.30 p.m. — Preaching Service.
Minister, Rev. H. Pawson.
Anderson, 1.30 p.m. —Sunday School
Anderson, 2.30 p.m. — Preaching Service.
Minister, Rev. T. H. P. Anderson.

Newburgh Circuit

Rev. T. H. P. Anderson, Pastor.

Newburgh, 10.30 a.m. —Public Worship, followed by the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper.
Wesley — Sacramental Service at Newburgh.
Strathcona — Sacramental Service at Newburgh.
Camden East, 10.30 a.m. — Sunday School.
Camden East 7.00 p.m. — Public Worship.
Sacrament of the Lord's Supper.
Thursday, 7.30 p.m.—Prayer Service.
January 7th, 2.30 p.m. — W. M. S. at Mrs. Germun Wagar's.
Tuesday, 7.30 p.m. — Y. P. League.

Selby Circuit

Rev. H. W. Foley, B.A., B.D., Minister.

Selby, 10.00 a.m.—Sunday School.
Selby, 7.00 p.m. — Church Worship.
Victoria, Sunday, Jan. 4th, 2.30 p.m.—The Lord's Supper.
Empey Hill, 10.30 a.m. — Church and Sunday School.

Bath Pastoral Charge

Rev. Fred. Horton, Pastor

Beulah, 10.30 a.m.—Rev. F. Horton.
Union, 2.30 p.m.— Rev. F. Horton.
Bath, 7.00 p.m. — Rev. F. Horton.
A cordial invitation is extended to the people to attend these services. They are for you.

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BATH

Harold Northmore, of Montreal, was the guest of his parents, Dr. and Mrs. H. S. Northmore, for the holiday.—Mrs. Hurst, of, Kingston, has been the guest of her son, John Roberts and Mrs. Robert, for Christmas.—Miss Anna McNeil and her brother, Mr. McNeil, of Wilton, were the guests of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Anthony McCaugherty, for Christmas.—Miss Mary Davy, of Oshawa, also Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mellow and children, of Napanee, spent Christmas at Geo. Davy's. —Rev. W. G. Swayne, who has been quite ill for some weeks, is still confined to his bed. His many friends hope for a speedy recovery.—Mrs. M. Rowse spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Hall and Newell Rowse, in Oshawa.—Mr. and Mrs. Harold Pinkstone and family, spent Christmas with relatives on Wolfe Island.—Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Hazelwood, of Toronto, spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Osborne.—Mrs. L. Kellar, Mr. and Mrs. Joel Kellar and Mr. and Mrs. William Kellar spent Christmas at Harry Monk's.—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Laidley, of Kingston, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Laidley.—Mrs. Fletcher Young is spending several days in New York City, having been called there owing to the death of her sister.—Miss Ella Shephard, of Kingston, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Shephard.—The many friends of Mr. Robert Mott will regret to learn that he was suddenly stricken with a serious illness on Christmas Eve. Mr. Mott is our oldest and a very highly respected citizen, but owing to his advanced age his recovery is doubtful.

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A magnificent gathering of Clearance Surprises. Wearables for the family and Items for the home invite you to save at least 20 per cent. on their last selling prices. Shop Early.

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Children's and Misses' Shoes

Reg. 1.98 and 2.25
SURPRISE BARGAIN ?

Sturdy, comfortably styled oxfords of calf or patent leathers. Sizes 8 to 10½ and 11 to 2. Regularly 1.98 and 2.25.

Surprise Bargain ?
Friday, pair .....

Women's Goodrich Zippers, Obsoletes

Regularly 1.98, Surprise Bargain Day

A splendid opportunity to save on these popular galoshes! ...All are first quality, but because they are obsolete lines they are offered FRIDAY at a price much below usual. High or low style, in black, beige and mixed mixtures. Sizes 2½ to 8 in the group. Be early! Regularly $1.98. SURPRISE BARGAIN, FRIDAY, pair .....

Fine Quality Hickory Skis

Reg. 6.50 and 6.95
SURPRISE BARGAIN ?

Fine quality, smoothly finished hickory skis, beautifully shaped and balanced, 6¼ and 7 ft. sizes. Regularly 6.50 and 6.95.

Surprise Bargain ?
Pair .....

Women's Lined Gloves

Regularly 2.00
SURPRISE BARGAIN ?

Some with fur top, others with plain top. Strap fastening style. Of soft capeskin. All sizes in the group. Reg. 2.00.

Surprise Bargain ?
Pair .....

E. P. N. S. Silverware

Regularly 1.00
SURPRISE BARGAIN ?

Marmalade jars, cake plates, jelly dishes and cruet sets. Reg. 1.00

Surprise Bargain ?
Each .....

Fancy Boxed Notepaper

Regularly 65c
SURPRISE BARGAIN ?

Fancy boxed white linen notepaper with envelopes to match. Reg. 65c.

Surprise Bargain ?
Box .....

Chintz Garment Bags

Regularly 69c
SURPRISE BARGAIN ?

A clearance of chintz garment bags. In attractive floral patterns in green, rose, helio and blue. Reg. 69c.

Surprise Bargain ?
Each .....

Smart Leather Handbags

Regularly 2.95
SURPRISE BARGAIN ?

Reduced to clear! Genuine leather handbags in pouch style with strap handles. In brown, black and navy. Reg. 2.95.

Surprise Bargain ?
Each .....

Women's Cashmere Hose

Regularly 79c
SURPRISE BARGAIN ?

Fine all-wool cashmere hose in plain style. In shades of beechnut, fawn and grey. Sizes 9½ only. Reg. 79c.

Surprise Bargain ?
Pair .....

Women's Smart Shoes

Regularly 2.98, Surprise Bargain Day, ea.

BE Early Friday! An opportunity to purchase smart shoes at a vastly lower price. In patent, kid or satin, in a choice of smart, trim fitting styles. With McKay sewn soles. Cuban or high heels. Sizes 3 to 7. Regularly 2.98. — SURPRISE BARGAIN DAY, pair .....

Women's Broadcloth Coats

Regularly 10.95, Surprise Bargain Day, ea.

A Stock Clearance! Be early, for there is a big saving! Smartly tailored, in straight or fitted lines, richly furred with opposum, Arabian lynx and caracul. In black, brown and navy. Sizes 14 to 42. Regularly 10.95. SURPRISE BARGAIN DAY, each .....

Girls' Wool Crepe Dresses

Regularly 3.98
SURPRISE BARGAIN ?

Attractive School Frocks of wool crepe and velveteen, with flares and pleats. With V necks or collars. In blue, rose, green and sand. Sizes 8 to 14 years. Reg. 3.98. Surprise Bargain ?
Each .....

Women's Coolie Coats

Regularly 5.95
SURPRISE BARGAIN ?

Coolie Coats of printed crepe in Chinese designs. Silk lined and in bright colors of rose, green, blue and black. Medium size. Reg. 5.95.

Surprise Bargain ?
Each .....

Millinery Clearance

Regularly 3.98
SURPRISE BARGAIN ?

Felt and Velvet Hats in smart off-the-face styles or with narrow brims. In black, brown, green and blue. Reg. 3.98

Surprise Bargain ?
Each .....

Women's Coolie Coats

Regularly 2.98
SURPRISE BARGAIN ?

Lustrous Rayon Coolie Coats in Chinese design, richly colored. Medium size only. Reg. 2.98.

Surprise Bargain ?
Each .....

Women's Beacon Kimonas

Regularly 6.95
SURPRISE BARGAIN ?

Cosy Beacon Cloth Kimonas, with shawl collar. Bound with satin and with cord girdle. In tan, rose and grey. All sizes. Reg. 6.95.

Surprise Bargain ?
Each .....

Women's Pullover Sweaters

Regularly 3.95
SURPRISE BARGAIN ?

Fine Pullover sweaters knit from silk and wool in V neck style. In assorted shades with contrasting trim. Sizes 34 to 40. Reg. 3.95.

Surprise Bargain ?
Each .....

Sani-Bilt Chesterfield Suite

Regularly 115., Surprise Bargain Day

THESE were exceptionally good value at their regular price and at the low Surprise Bargain Price they are a value seldom approached. Upholstered in blue and grey art velour, block welted and genuine Marshall spring constructed. Three pieces — chesterfield and two comfortable chairs. Regularly 115.00. — SURPRISE BARGAIN DAY, Suite .....

Clearance of Rugs

Reg. 12.50 to 52.50, Surprise Bargain Day

DOMESTIC and imported rugs in Oriental patterns — richly colored and heavy in pile. A long wearing quality that will give years of satisfaction. In various sizes. Suitable for practically any room in the home. Regularly 12.50 to 52.50. SURPRISE BARGAIN DAY, each .....

Men's Fleece Combinations

Regularly 1.50
SURPRISE BARGAIN ?

Good weight garments, comfortably fleece lined. With long sleeves and legs. In natural shade Sizes 36 to 44. Reg. 1.50

Surprise Bargain ?
Suit .....

Boys' Warm Combinations

Regularly 1.00
SURPRISE BARGAIN ?

Comfortable fleece-lined cotton combinations in natural shade. Sizes 26 to 32. Reg. 1.00

Surprise Bargain ?
Suit .....

Boys' Sturdy Trousers

Regularly 75c and 1.00
SURPRISE BARGAIN ?

Be early—a big clearance! In the lot are: bloomers, breeches, golf knickers and knee pants. In fancy tweeds in greys and browns Sizes 24 to 32. Reg. 75c and 1.00

Surprise Bargain ?
Pair .....

Boys' English Jerseys

Regularly 1.00
SURPRISE BARGAIN ?

English jerseys, knit from wool and cotton yarns, in polo collar style. In grey, brown, fawn, blue and green. Sizes 24 to 32. Reg. 1.00

Surprise Bargain ?
Each .....

Men's Wool Underwear

Regularly 1.50
SURPRISE BARGAIN ?

Heavy ribbed all wool underwear in two-piece style. Shirts are double breasted. Sizes 34 to 42. Reg. 1.50

Surprise Bargain ?
Garment .....

Men's Smart Scarfs

Regularly 1.00
SURPRISE BARGAIN ?

Smart rayon squares and broad cloth reefer scarfs. In fancy plaids, white, fawn and grey. Reg. 1.00

Surprise Bargain ?
Each .....

1930-31 Screen Grid Radio

Regularly 185.00, Surprise Bargain Day

A well-known eight tube, screen grid radio, in handsome walnut cabinet, equipped with electro-dynamic speaker—clearing at a price that will save you dollars. It's sensitive and has great volume and true tone. Regularly 185.00.— SURPRISE BARGAIN DAY .....

Extra! Parchment Lamp Shades

Reg. 11.45 — 10.95, Surprise Bargain Day

BEAUTIFULLY decorated shades of fine quality parchment with embossed figures and conventional designs. Suitable for junior lamps. Regularly 10.95 and 11.45. SURPRISE BARGAIN DAY, Friday .....

32-Inch Printed Shirting

Regularly 39c

32 inches wide, in light grounds with stripes in black, dark and light blue, mauve and sand. Reg. 29c.

Surprise Bargain ?
Yard .....

Bargain In Gingham

Regularly 14c
SURPRISE BARGAIN ?

Excellent for aprons, drapes, etc. In plain shades and checked patterns. In rose, pink, mauve, green, peach, navy and sand. 27 inches wide. Reg. 14.

Surprise Bargain ?
Yard .....

Cotton Dress Tweed

Regularly 69c
SURPRISE BARGAIN ?

A practical fabric for business frocks. 36 inches wide. Printed in irregular checked patterns. In blue, grey and rose. Reg. 69c.

Surprise Bargain ?
Yard .....

Clearance Of Wash Goods

Regularly 19c to 23c.
SURPRISE BARGAIN ?

Be early! A wash goods clearance including dimities, linene, and Fugella. 26 to 36 inches wide. In a big variety of plain shades. Reg. 19c to 22c.

Surprise Bargain ?
Yard .....

Lustrous Baronet Satin

Regularly 50c.
SURPRISE BARGAIN ?

Lustrous and supple, splendid for lingerie, cushions, etc. 36 inches wide, in shades of peach, rose, yellow, black, red and mauve. Reg. 50c.

Surprise Bargain ?
Yard .....

Silk and Wool Crepe

Regularly 2.95
SURPRISE BARGAIN ?

Silk and wool crepes in tweed effect, 38 inches wide. In black and white, black and gold, wine and sand, brown and wine, brown and gold, etc. Reg. 2.95.

Surprise Bargain ?
Yard .....

Striped Drapery Damask

Reg. 1.50, Surprise Bargain Day

BEAUTIFUL, rich drapery damasks clearing Friday at a surprisingly low price! Handsome for side drapes, arch curtains, draw curtains, etc. All 50 inches wide, in various color combinations. Regularly 1.50 per yard. SURPRISE BARGAIN DAY, yard .....

Clearance of Table Runners

Reg. 1.75 to 5.50, Surprise Bargain Day

A clearance of table runners in various sizes. Some are of embossed silk tapestry with moquette lining, others of silk tapestry and some of moquette. In handsome designs and attractive colorings. Regularly 1.75 to 5.50. — SURPRISE BARGAIN DAY, each .....

Infants' Dresses

Regularly 1.00
SURPRISE BARGAIN ?

Baby dresses of fine all wool English cashmere, with long sleeves, square yokes and trimmed with dainty embroidery. Reg. 1.00

Surprise Bargain ?
Each .....

Children's Knitted Wool Suits

SURPRISE BARGAIN ?

Children's knitted wool suits in two piece style. Pants have elastic at waist and sweaters have high neck and long sleeves. In blue and sand, green and sand and all red. Sizes 2 to 6 years.

Surprise Bargain ?
Suit .....

Infants' Blankets

Regularly 1.00
SURPRISE BARGAIN ?

Soft cotton eiderdown blankets in white with pink or blue borders. Very cosy and warm. Size 30 x 40 inches. Reg. 1.00

Surprise Bargain ?
Each .....

Small Boys' Coats

Regularly 1.95
SURPRISE BARGAIN ?

Smartly tailored, warm tweed coats for small boys of 2 to 6 years. In double breasted style, with belt at back. Cotton flannel lined. In two shades of brown.

Surprise Bargain ?
Each .....

Women's Fleeced Slips

Regularly 79c
SURPRISE BARGAIN ?

Womens cosy fleece lined slips for winter wear. In light and dark grey or peach shade. Small, medium and large sizes. Reg. 79c.

Surprise Bargain ?
Each .....

Women's Combinations

Regularly 2.50
SURPRISE BARGAIN ?

Women's comfortable silk and wool combinations, with short sleeves or sleeveless and ankle length. Sizes 42 to 44 only. Greatly reduced to clear. Reg. 2.50

Surprise Bargain ?
Pair .....

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WEDDING BELLS

FLETCHER — MILLIGAN

A quiet wedding was performed at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Milligan, Napanee, on Tuesday, December 23rd, 1930, when their daughter, Miss Hazel Margaret Milligan, became the bride of Mr. Reginald Fletcher, Manitoba. The ceremony was conducted in a graceful and impressive manner by Rev. John Snowden Ferguson, pastor of the bride. The bride was charmingly attired in a navy blue travelling suit with accessories to match. She carried a bouquet of Killarney roses and lily-of-the-valley.

Following the ceremony the bride was Mrs. F. M. Milligan, who was smartly attired in navy blue with a bronze model hat, accessories of pastel Sweet Pea shade. Mr. Zaph attended the bridegroom.

The gifts to the groom to the bride were numerous and costly, consisting of a handsome toilet set, to the bridesmaid, a necklace and earrings of crystal, and to the best man a leather cigarette case and lighter.

Following the wedding a reception was held at the Hotel Sackatchewan, dinner was served in the private dining room. The bride and groom left this evening for the East, where they will spend Christmas as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Milligan, Newburgh.

For travelling the bride donned a becoming suit of travel tweed of black and white with accessories to match. The out-of-town friends of Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher who attended the wedding included Mr. and Mrs. E. Taylor, Bendon, Man., Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Tench, Drumsticller, Alta.; Mr. W. T. Medill, Moose Jaw, Sask.; and Mr. J. C. Bowring, Moose Jaw.

FOR SALE!

1 Used "Rogers" Radio and Speaker.
1 Used Crossley Radio.

—Wilson's Hardware.

OBITUARY.

JAMES VINCENT McGRAW

There passed to his eternal rest on Thursday, December 25th, 1930, one of Napanee's most loyal and life long citizens, in the person of James McGraw.

His death came as a shock to the town at large, while he had been in ill health for the past three years, his condition had not been considered serious.

Deceased was born in Napanee in 1858, a son of the late Thomas McGraw and Anne Lynch, who were both pioneer residents of the town. After serving his apprenticeship at the printing trade, he went to New York City, where he spent fourteen years with a large publishing house. He then spent a year in Ingersoll, and for three years he was associated with W. J. Taylor in the Tweed News. In October, 1916, he joined the staff of The Beaver, where he was held in high esteem by the management and his co-workers, until forced, by ill-health, to give up his position. He was ever loyal to his employer, a splendid workman, and a very genial fellow to be associated with.

Deceased was a devout member of St. Patrick's Church, where the funeral was held from the family residence. Many friends were present to pay their last respects and Requiem High Mass was solemnized by the Rev. Monsignor McDonald, in the sanctuary, assisted by the Rev. Father Murphy, of New York City.

He leaves his widow, formerly Agnes Dignam, of Tweed, and six sorrowing children, Vincent, Jean and Tom, of Detroit, Mich.; Hilda, Jamie, Jr., and Margaret, at home. He also leaves one sister, Mrs. James Fitzpatrick, of Detroit, Mich.

The pallbearers were borne to their last resting place by Messrs. Richard McKeoll, C. J. Papineau, Joseph Kenny, Henry Hearns, D. J. Hogan and Albert B. Roo.

SCHOOL REPORTS

Following is the Christmas examination results of School Section No. 3 Ernestown.

The names are in order of merit—

Senior IV — Gladys Buck, honors; Catherine Clement.

Junior IV — Margaret Boston, honors; John McDonald.

Junior—Ruth Boston.

Senior II — Donna Young, honors; Gertrude McDonald, Kenneth Clement, Eileen McDonald.

Senior I — Raymond Sweet, Clarence Laveque, Norma Buck (absent).

Senior Primer — Dennis O'Connor, honors; Cecelia Laveque.

ZELMA HUFFMAN, Teacher.

CARD OF THANKS

In future all insertions of Cards of Thanks and In Memoriam will be inserted in The Beaver only if the money accompanies the order, at the following rates: Card of Thanks, 50c. In Memoriam, 50c. and 50c. additional for each verse.

Mrs. James McGraw and family wish to thank their friends and neighbors for the many acts of kindness shown them during the illness and death of her husband.

PERSONALS

It is the desire of the publishers that all should take an interest in this column of The Beaver. If you have friends visiting you, or are going away for a trip, leave word or send it on a Post Card.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lynch and son, William, of Toronto, attended the funeral of the late James V. McGraw, on Saturday.

Mr. Donald Gleeson, of Toronto, spent the holidays in town with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. Gleeson, East Street.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Follis, of Peterboro, returned home on Monday, after spending the Christmas holidays with their son, Mr. H. E. Follis, West St.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy A. Sills sailed for London, England, on Wednesday, December 24th, where he is manager of the Simmons Company.

Mr. Albert Davis left Friday morning for Detroit and Big Rapids, where he will visit his aunt, Mrs. Martin Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Fletcher, (nee Hazel Milligan), arrived on Wednesday evening to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Milligan, Newburgh, Ont. On their arrival a reception was held at the home of the bride, where the immediate relatives sat down to a beautifully decorated table of pink and white streamers, centred with a wedding cake. Many beautiful gifts were received by the young couple.

Rev. Mr. Watts, of Kingston, who preached in St. Andrew's Church, Napanee, on Sunday, was the guest of Mrs. S. A. Templeton.

Mrs. Bennett, of Toronto, is visiting her sisters, Mrs. G. W. Morden and Miss Daly.

Mrs. S. A. Templeton spent Christmas in Toronto with her daughters.

Mrs. B. Brisco was the guest of Mrs. George D. Hawley for Christmas.

Mrs. Will Charters is spending a couple of weeks in Toronto with her daughter, Mrs. Clarke.

Miss L. Gandier is visiting Miss Mitchell, at Newburgh.

Mrs. Eugene Richardson spent Christmas with her sister, Mrs. J. H. Madden.

Miss Grace Boyes, of Queen's University, Kingston, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Boyes.

Mr. Thomas McGraw and sisters, Misses Yvonne and Jean, of Detroit, Mich., attended the funeral of their father, the late James V. McGraw, and remained over for a few days with their mother.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Wallace spent Christmas in Toronto with their daughter, Mrs. Batten.

Mr. R. G. Gilbride, of Toronto, and son, Preston, of Stratford, spent Christmas at their home in Napanee.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Curlette, of Atlantic City, arrived in town on Sunday, en route to visit his mother, Mrs. C. Curlette, who is seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Shendel, of Scranton, Pa., spent the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Robinson.

The Rev. Arthur and Mrs. McGreer of Lennoxville are guests of Mr. Chas. McGreer, at "Riverside" for the holidays.

Miss Rhea Sheridan returned to Toronto on Sunday, after spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. Trenouth.

Mrs. Mowbry and little daughter, of Toronto, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Trenouth.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith, of Alexandria, Ont., have been spending the Christmas holidays at the Vicarage.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy A. Sills, of Mexico City, visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Sills and his sister-Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Aikenbrack, and Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Fretts, en route to their home in London, England.

Mr. Harold Barrager, of Kincardine, is spending the holidays in town with his mother, Mrs. C. J. Barrager.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Murduff, of Peterboro, are visiting their daughter, Mrs. H. E. Follis, West Street.

Mrs. R. W. Denison is spending a few days in East Aurora, N. Y., the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. H. Clarington.

Mr. Jack Darby, of Oshawa, spent the Christmas holidays in town, the guest of Constable Cook.

Rev. and Mrs. R. M. Seymour and family, of Cataraqui, spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hart and family, of Morven.

Misses Ida and Mary Hart, of Toronto, spent Christmas and the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hart.

Miss Kathleen Gleeson, of Toronto University, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. Gleeson, East Street.

Mrs. James Fitzpatrick and son, James, of Detroit, Mich. attended the funeral of her brother, the late James V. McGraw, on Saturday.

Miss Marjorie Simpson, of Toronto, spent the holidays in town with her mother, Mrs. John M. Simpson.

Mrs. Beattie and two sons, Harry and Donald, of Kingston, spent Christmas in Napanee, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Shannon.

Mr. George Emberly and Mrs. Emberly and daughter, Eleanor and Tommy, of Wilton, motored to Napanee and were the guests of their aunt, Mrs. Glass, and Mrs. Stover, who has been the guest of Mrs. Glass, returned to her home with her daughter, Mrs. Emberly.

Dr. Morley J. Smith, of Long Island, N. Y., arrived in town on Wednesday to spend Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Smith, and returned home on Friday.

Miss Stella Lynch and Mrs. Mellon, of Belleville, attended the funeral of the late James V. McGraw, on Saturday.

Messrs. James Woodcock and William Carter, of Ogdensburg, N. Y., spent the holidays with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Silas Woodcock.

Miss Jean Robinson, Trenton, is spending the holidays with her parents, Adolphustown.

Mrs. J. D. Shepard and baby, Norman, of Peterborough, are the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Colebrook.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor McGreer and family spent the holiday week with Mr. and Mrs. Cranston, Deseronto Road.

Rev. A. J. Wilson is spending the holidays in Buffalo, N.Y., at his home.

The many friends of Mrs. George A. Johnston, who has been confined to her bed for the past six weeks with pneumonia, will be glad to learn that she is improving nicely.

Miss Helen Smith, of Marysville, is spending the Christmas holidays in Toronto, with her mother, Mrs. Florence Smith.

Miss Mary VanSlyck spent Christmas in Kingston, at Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Doller's.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh W. Hicks and son, Stuart, have returned to Toronto after spending the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James H. Hicks, Newburgh Road.

Miss Norma Fretts spent Tuesday with Mrs. Frank Lake, Morven.

Mr. Delbert S. Smith, of Waltham, Mass., spent Christmas with his mother, Mrs. E. M. Smith, and brothers, Dr. H. W. Smith and Wilfrid.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Hall, Miss Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Albert F. Martin took Christmas dinner with Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Robinson.

Mr. Smith Rogers, Phm. B., of Toronto, is spending the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Rogers, Tamworth.

Mr. and Mrs. James Pringle, Centre Street, are visiting friends in Buffalo.

Mrs. Ella Palmer, Belleville, is visiting her sister, Mrs. George Cliff.

Mr. Earl Vanalstine spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stacey Vanalstine.

Miss Agnes Meyers is spending the Christmas recess in Peterborough.

Miss M. Milling is visiting at her sister's, Mrs. H. W. Chrysler, Toronto.

Miss Olive Langton, Aldershot, is spending the holiday season with Miss Frances Aikenbrack, Camden East.

Miss Lillian Aikenbrack, Reg. Nurse, of Ottawa, is spending the Christmas recess with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Aikenbrack, Camden East.

Mr. and Mrs. Thornton McComb and son, Robert, of Toronto, spent Christmas in Napanee, with her mother, Mrs. Hugh Rankin.

Miss Elizabeth Saul, of Kingston, is spending New Year's with friends in Napanee.

Miss Mary M. Ross is spending Christmas week in Toronto.

Mr. Alex. Faulkner, of Rochester, N. Y., is spending a few days the guest of his sister, Mrs. J. A. Francis.

Mrs. Catharine Adams is spending a few days in Toronto.

Miss Mary McGrath returned to Toronto on Sunday, after spending Christmas with her mother, Mrs. Catharine McGrath, Thomas Street.

Miss Helen Grange is spending the holidays with her sister, Miss Constance Grange, in New York City.

Mr. and Mrs. Williams, of Stirling, are visiting their daughter, Mrs. W. H. Milsap.

Mr. Gale, of Toronto, is visiting at Mr. Will Daly's.

Rev. and Mrs. Bell, of Oakville, spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herb Daly.

Miss Helen Daly, of Boston, Mass., is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Daly.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Boyes, of Kingston, spent Christmas Day the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Pollard.

Mr. John Daly, of Upper Canada College, Toronto, is visiting in Montreal.

Mr. Gerald Lovnes, of Regina, Sask., is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Shore Lovnes.

Messrs. Charlie and Alan Walters, of Toronto, are home with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Walters, for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Ming, of Ottawa, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Perry.

Misses Hilda and Nookie Daly, of Toronto University, are spending the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Daly.

Mr. and Mrs. Sharp spent Christmas in Toronto.

Dr. Hugo Gleeson is expected home for New Years, to spend a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. Gleeson.

Miss Van Slyck spent Christmas in Kingston.

Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Oldham, and Mr. Fenwick Connoly, of Yarker, spent Christmas, the guests of Mr and Mrs. E. J. Pollard.

Miss Margaret Hughes, of Kingston, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Corkill.

Mrs. J. H. Moffat and son, Thomas, are spending the week-end in Stratford.

Miss Ruby Davis, of Montreal, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Jack Caldwell.

Mr. William Parks is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard T. Parks, Hay Bay.

Mr. Don Huyck, assistant manager at McColl-Frontenac Refinery, Toronto, and Mrs. Huyck, spent the Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Blake Huyck and Mr. and Mrs. T. McGill, Centreville.

BIRTHS

VANNEST — At Enterprise, on Tuesday, December 16th, 1930, to Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Vannest, a son, Lloyd Evans.

HALL — At Toronto, on Friday, December 19th, 1930, to Mr. and Mrs. Charley B. Hall, a daughter.

DEATHS

McGRAW — At Napanee, on Thursday, December 25th, 1930, James V. McGraw, aged 62 years.

ARMSTRONG — At Napanee, on Monday, December 29th, 1930, Miss Laura Isabell Armstrong, aged 50 years. Funeral will be held on Wednesday, December 31st.

CURLETTE — At Adolphustown, on Monday, December 29th, 1930, Mrs. Emily Curlette, aged 89 years.

YOUNG — At Sillsville, on Monday, December 29th, 1930, David Young, aged 91 years and 7 months. The funeral will take place from his late residence on Wednesday afternoon, at 2 o'clock. Service at the house, thence to Sillsville Cemetery.

WANDRUM — At Kingston, on Monday, December 22nd, 1930, Phoebe Wandrum, aged 89 years.

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CHRISTMAS DANCES

In order to provide amusement for the young crowd on Christmas night, a number of the boys arranged to have a dance in the Paisley House. The crowd was very good, enough to meet expenses, and everyone present seemed to have a good time. This dance turned out to be formal and informal, mostly informal, but a number of the younger gentlemen attended in full dress.

Mr. Fitzpatrick provided a nice lunch at twelve o'clock and we wish to thank him for making such an enjoyable evening possible. The music was provided by three of the local boys and everyone seemed very pleased with their harmony. A similar dance will be held at the Paisley House on New Year's Eve and it is hoped that all the younger set will turn out and help to make the dance as big a success as the last one.

On the evening following Christmas, a dance was provided at the Napanee Collegiate, which could not have been improved in any way. Everyone had an exceptionally fine time, but were very sorry that the Principal, Mr. Jamieson, was unable to attend.

The hall was very prettily decorated in accordance with the season and the orchestra furnished exceptionally good music, adding a great deal to the success of the evening.

EMPEY HILL

Christmas has come and gone and we are still enjoying lovely weather.—Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Winter spent Christmas at Arden and Miss Dorothy Alexander returned with them.— Mr. and Mrs. Fred Husband are spending a few days at her father's at Campbellford.—Mrs. W. Sexsmith is somewhat better at time of writing.—Miss Carrie Oliver spent Christmas at her brother's, Mr. V. Oliver. — The shooting match at the Akey Bros. tournament, was well attended.—Mr. Bell returned home on Christmas morning. His many friends hope for a speedy recovery.—The W. M. S. met in the Sunday School room of the Church and concluded a very successful year, and then the election of officers took place as follows:—Hon. President, Mrs. Edward Price; President, Mrs. Bruce Kimmerly; 1st Vice-Pres., Mrs. Roy Stafford; 2nd Vice-Pres. Mrs. Clifford Abbott; Secretary, Mrs. S. E. Winters; Treasurer, Mrs. Herb Kimmerly; Organist, Mrs. Fred Kimmerly; Supply Secretary, Mrs. E. Price; Strangers' Secretary, Mrs. G. Staples; Literature Secretary, Mrs. W. Bell; Temperance Secretary, Mrs. R. Taylor; Delegates to Presbytery at Picton, Mrs. B. Kimmerly, Mrs. Vert Winter and Mrs. R. Kimmerly.—Mr. and Mrs. C. Akey and Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Ashley, spent Tuesday in Kingston.

SANDHURST

On Christmas morning, the congregation of St. Paul's Church together with the Rector, met at Divine Worship at eight o'clock. Many beautiful hymns burst forth from many lips. Over forty-five were partakers of Holy Communion.—On Friday evening last the A. Y. P. A. met in Sandhurst Hall. Many were present, members as well as welcomed visitors. The meeting was in charge of the Musical and Literary Committee. Miss Helen Hall was presented with a fountain pen from the members of the club. Mr. W. Hargroves and Miss E. Sills giving the presentation, accompanied by an address, which was very suitably chosen. We all wish her much joy and success in her new life.

OBITUARY

MRS. M. KENNEDY

Mrs. Mary Kennedy, the beloved wife of Adam Kennedy, of the Bear Line, Dover Township, passed away Wednesday morning at the family residence. She had been in failing health for some time, death being occasioned by a serious heart trouble which developed recently.

Mrs. Kennedy, who was 62 years of age, was born near Tamworth in Lennox and Addington County, the daughter of the late Edward and Mrs. Elizabeth McGuire. She settled in Dover Township after her husband, 35 years ago, and where she has since resided. She was prominently identified with the work of the Baldoon United Church, and was well-known and respected by the people of that community. She is deeply mourned by a large circle of friends.

Besides the husband, who is an invalid, surviving are four sons, Arthur and Fred, of Detroit; Clarence and Edward, at home; two daughters, Mrs. Joseph Lusk of Dover and Lenore, at home; four brothers, W. J. McGuire and Samuel McGuire, of Chatham; Edward and Reuby, of Tamworth. — Chatham News.

CANNED FOODS ARE DISPLACING FRESH CANADIAN GOODS

The steadily increasing use of canned foods is ascribed to greater public confidence in the wholesomeness of such products under the pure food laws. Adulteration, misgrading and poor preparation are banned under the commercial practices prior to the Pure Food Act. Now, despite the growing competition of fruits and vegetables the consumption of canned foods is increasing.

Canned foods today are produced according to methods which 24 years of laboratory research and field experiences have determined as the safest and most wholesome possible. No system however, is infallible, and the final inspection must be made by the consumer when the cans are opened. Bad odor, gas formation and cloudiness of the liquid or swelling of the container are all danger signals.

Consumers are constantly on the alert to prevent dishonest and ignorant manufacturers to have access to the field, from cheating consumers and destroying the good reputation which the canning industry has earned.

Not Up-To-Date. A travelling salesman found himself in a village hotel dining room when a heavy downpour of rain set in. Addressing the waitress, he remarked: "It looks like the Flood."

"Like what?" the girl inquired.

"Like the Flood. You've read of the Flood and how the ark landed on Mount Ararat, haven't you?"

"No, sir. It haven't seen a newspaper for three days," confessed the waitress. —Exchange.

We take this opportunity to extend to our many Friends and Patrons our best wishes for

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CHRISTMAS ENTERTAINMENT AT ODESSA CONTINUATION SCHOOL

The Continuation School closed for the Christmas vacation on Friday, December 19th, and will re-open for the winter term on Monday, January 9th, at 9.00 a.m. All students are urged to be present on the opening day.

On Friday afternoon, the pupils of the Continuation School held a meeting of the Library Society, which took the form of a Christmas entertainment. Presents were exchanged between the students and a very enjoyable program was given by the pupils with refreshments. The students also took this opportunity of presenting Mrs. Nelson Peters, an ex-student, with a silver tea service, as a mark of the esteem in which she was held by the students and teachers.

The sports medals and cups were also presented and so were the graduation diplomas. The following were the recipients of the rewards:—

Henderson Cup — Donald McNeely and Layman Fletcher.

Boys' Senior Champion Medal— Vernon Reid.

Boys' Junior Champion Medal—Layman Fletcher.

Girls' Junior Champion Medal—Marie Amey.

Girls' Senior Champion Medal—Nellie Carroll.

Highest Point Scorer on Sports Day —Marie Amey.

Graduation Diplomas—Doris Cairns, Jack Vrooman.

The students remembered the teachers with lovely presents, which were very much appreciated, who expressed their thanks in a few well chosen words.

The staff of the school wishes to express to all, their best wishes for a Merry Christmastide and a prosperous and pleasant New Year.

HOGS WANTED

Will ship on Saturday, January 3rd, from Napanee, Newburgh, Yarker, and Marysville, and will pay highest market price for Hogs, Calves and Cattle. Good Veal Calves according to quality. Have hogs in by 12:30.

C. W. HAMBLY, 'Phone 238, Napanee.

FRANK WALES, 'Phone 14 r 21, Newburgh.

MANLY FOSTER, Yarker.

THOS. CURRY, Marysville.

Will ship hogs and calves from Napanee, Newburgh, and Moscow, on Friday, January 2nd, and will pay highest market price for all live stock.

C. I. RUSSELL, 'Phone 412, Napanee
J. E. HARRISON, 'Phone Newburgh 3
WILL KENNY, Odessa.
JAMES EVANS, Moscow.

Will ship Hogs and Calves from Robindale and Lonsdale Station on Thursday, January 1st and every week till further notice and will pay highest market price for all livestock.

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IN THE LAND OF SUNSHINE

From Land of Plenty to Land of Sunshine by Canadian National Steamships A Journey of Never Ending Delight and Pleasure

(By Alan N. Longstaff)

In the early morning hours the good ship Lady Rodney slips out of the harbor of Nassau with the assistance of the puffing tugs. Lying at anchor is the New York cruise ship, the Kungsholm, with a tender at her side into which passengers are transferred for their journey to shore. Waves of the hand are exchanged between the passengers on the respective boats and the Lady Rodney heads southward. Under the brilliant sunshine, deck games are popular and sunburn begins to show its effects on the passengers' faces. Noses, unaccustomed to such sun rays at such a time of the year, take on an enviable glow. There is a tendency to keep in the shady side of the boat deck where the games are played. It is Saturday morning and by Sunday we hope shall be in sight of the shores of Cuba. Here there is more ocean traffic than we have been accustomed to seeing since we left Bermuda.

Sunday morning and another day of glorious sunshine so tempting that a few "play hookey" from Divine service, which is held in the reading room after the morning. Sunday noon and the outline of Cuba's shore looms on the horizon. Again binoculars are brought into play and loaned by one to another for the enjoyment of the first sighthouse standing out on a point attracts attention. Over the mountain ranges many heavy clouds are evidently distributing a tropical downfall on the land, though no rain strikes the ship.

Freighters and passenger steamships pass in the steamship lanes among which we are travelling Now it is an oil tanker, and again a general freighter which is coming from the Panama Canal entrance to reach Atlantic waters. During the afternoon we pass a steamer heading for the Cuban coast and harbors. Almost, we feel, this seaway has become as a busy street with a long journey through deserted country roads. "Kingston at eight o'clock in the morning." is the warning that we retire fay the night, perhaps earlier, than usual since it is also announced that breakfast will be served early. Daylight finds many of the passengers awake and gazing through portholes at the shipping in the roadstead while the Lady Rodney lies in quarantine. The Ordinal, a cruise boat, is in port before us, as also does the C. N. R. Connaught, a sister ship of the Canadian National Steamships, which takes up the service between Kingston and Belize, British Honduras, which, because she waits on the Lady Rodney and the Lady Somers, has gained the unofficial title of "Bill and Bess." Spick and span in her white paint and with her tri-colored funnel, the Connector lies at dock in Kingston when, our immigration and medical inspection formalities completed, the Lady Rodney herself slides into her mooring place. Port Royal and the Palisades to the west of Kingston as they line the rail to follow keenly every move of officers and men who are docking the ship.

Past cruise steamships at anchor, freighters and the nondescript craft which fills every southern harbor the Lady Rodney moves majestically. Along the shore are the Kingston buildings of more regal than anything which has yet appeared before our eyes. Here at last is the goal for which we have sailed southward!

Seated on a pile of lumber at the docks, and checking the cargo of a gang of colored laborers who are moving planks and boards here and there, sits a white man with a pad of paper on his knee. Over his head is a huge sunshade, rising from the back of the chair on which he is seated. Obviously Kingston is a place where one does not fear the sun's rays with a disdain. In the foreground is the swimming pool of a hotel, its grounds fringed with cocoanut and other palms. Among the wharves move mules, hitched to two-wheeled carts seemingly built especially with an eye to height and strength. There is no particular air of bustle about either the mules or their colored drivers. On the same wharves, however, are laid the tracks of a light trolley railway with a number of cars and the warehouses which line the docks there are operating a series of motor-driven elevators. Here is the British manufacture one learns on closer inspection—hauling freight back and forward.

Again the Customs officers are aboard colored gentlemen, and again the water police to see that none leave the ship until Customs arrangements are satisfied. Then the gangways are down the gangway and the passengers follow.

Kingston, our goal, is really attained.

One hundred — or one thousand — Jamaican natives, with their picturesque raucous kikaon motor horns, can produce more street noises in half an hour than do all the Montreal taxi drivers in the course of a week. Add to the motor horns, rattling street cars and a few hundred drivers of horse-drawn vehicles, each equipped with an alarm bell which sounds like that of an ambulance, and have each of the drivers of both horse-drawn and motor vehicles sound a warning at every street intersection and at every possible excuse between inter-sections, and one secures an impression of street noises in Kingston, Jamaica. At first one is tempted to place the blame for the native driver plus the loud motor horn, and then comes the thought that since the building of sidewalks brought but little of building sidewalk accommodation, everyone is at liberty forced to walk in the street. Hence the constant clamor of drivers of vehicles toot-ing their way along, continuously sounding horns and bells to warn pedestrians whose pathway they would disputes.

Traffic policement, resplendant- in white coat and white helmet, stand at the principal corners and wave a majestic hand to indicate the directions in which traffic shall move. Progress down whatever sidewalk there may be is impeded by gentlemen who wish to sell panama hats or articles of native manufacture. Motor cars on the streets range from those of United States manufacture—of every model and vintage—to small cars of British manufacture, but apparently there is one initial model which each Jamaican possess a horn, and the smaller the car the louder the horn. One needs at least a day or two to become accustomed to their raucous accompaniment before making any attempt to distinguish sounds, blend with their up-to-date stores.

Someone has said that Jamaica "is Switzerland dropped in the Tropics." The description is apt. The island is a gem of mountainous beauty, rising from water, as one approaches Kingston, a glimpse of its holiday possibilities is obtained. Here and there anticipations of beautiful excursions are realized. Some passengers there are whose habitat for the next few days will be in old ethe city ares. Others will go farther afield, to the hotels which are located in the hills five or six miles distant. Still others will spend their Friday and Saturday aboard their ship, which boasts through four ranges of mountains which rise several hundred feet above the sea level. Those who have chosen the higher levels are the fortunate ones.

Kingston is warm in its welcome, as the tropic sun beats down upon its streets. To a Northerner the change is marvellous, and when one remarks as he must do—that it is not necessary to move through several layers of wool breakneck speed, the warmth is by no means oppressive even where pavements throw back the rays of the sun. There is time for an interesting half day to be spent in the city if one is later to deliver nacheise — in appearance, grandfathers of all the butcher knives one sees in a city meat market —and one shudders to think of the fright of the aforesaid lady who rounded a corner of the hotel to meet one to face a colored gentleman so armed, though his intentions were of the most cheerful.

The machete appears to be to the Jamaican native what the axe is to the Canadian guide and woodsman. With it he cuts his way through anything that obstructs his passage. He uses it to cut sugar cane at harvest time, or to cut down the bunch of bananas which his wife will carry to market on her head. If he smokes tobacco is it probable that he uses his machete, or cutlass, with its blade of about 30 inches in length, to cut his twist or plug, and I have no doubt, from the manner in which he keeps it beside him and fondles it in the daytime, that he also keeps it close at hand during the night.

Along the winding road there is heavy traffic, for this is an artery over which vehicles move from one shore of the island to the other, since the road is cut, in places, out of the side of the mountains, there is a constant wonder as to what we shall meet as we round the next curve, and also, as there are many curves to be negotiated there is a constant sounding of the horn as the driver approaches each of the many turns where approaching vehicles are unseen until they are within a few feet of our bumpers.

The interior of Jamaica is a test for good nerves and quick thinking. The roads ascend the side of mountains, and the edge of the highway is often a sheer drop of hundreds of feet. The floor boards were almost pushed through as I sat there unconcerned. "Chins up" is a hand drive in Canada "put on the brakes" is the cry in Jamaica, and this regardless of the fact that he was not driving the car. However one soon becomes accustomed to the change and the tension lets down.

Trucks, buses, private cars meet us along the roadway, and as they pass we head out towards the north shore. Here and there the highway winds to the north shore. Here and there the highway winds to the north shore. Here and there the highway winds to

Agricultural, Industrial Progress in Canada

Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island .—F. W. Boulter, secretary of the Prince Edward Island Potato Growers' Association, states that a potatoe and a quarter bushels of potatoes and turnips have been moved this season, of which 100,000 bushels of table stock were shipped to Cuba.

Halifax, Nova Scotia.—Four steamers landed 28,837 barrels of apples at the Port of Halifax for British and Continental markets during the week ended November 30th, bringing the exports for the year to 309,551 barrels. The latter total compares with 508,162 barrels for the corresponding period of last year.

Saint John, New Brunswick.—A. R. Jones, manager of the Maritime Co-operative Egg and Poultry Exchange at Saint John, states that quantities of eggs received by both the Saint John and Halifax plants continue to be larger than the figures of last year. From September 29th to November 1st there was total of 1,146 cases received at the two branches compared with 966 for the similar period of last year.

Fredericton, New Brunswick.—The pick-up in the forest industries in New Brunswick this year, "forecasts some little time ago, is vouched for by A. T. Murchie, chief scaler for the province. The season has completed a visit to the north shore and is now on an inspection trip in the eastern counties. Pulpwood cutting shows the estimates, he says, and there is also considerable activity in cedar poles and shingles.

Quebec, Quebec.— Fruit culture in the Province of Quebec is gradually being increased, according to a report of the Department of Agriculture. During 1929 the department authorized the planting of 65,000 apple trees, 30,000 of which were set out in Missisquoi County.

Montreal, Quebec.— Herman Trelle, of Wendell, Alberta, has won the title of world's wheat champion, having won the title with a sample of Reward Wheat grown at that point. He won the Chicago International Livestock Exposition and Hay and Grain Show, while Lorne Avery, of Kelso, Sask., won the reserve championship with Premium Wheat. The winning of these top honors of the grain section, together with the winning of the breed reserve grand championship by Fred Dawson of Unionville, Ont., with his yearling "Tom Collins" made the Province of Ontario proud at the International exhibition last week. Trelle, who earlier in the show won the championship in the open class for hard red spring wheat, is a comparatively new-comer to the field of wheat growing, having only started in 1927. Per food advancement in the province, Mr. Trelle says, is due to the fact that he has always used clean seed. Mr. Trelle, who earlier in the show won the championship in the open class for hard red spring wheat, is a comparatively new-comer to the field of wheat growing, having only started in 1927. Per food advancement in the province, Mr. Trelle says, is due to the fact that he has always used clean seed.

Ottawa, Ontario.—At the end of the present fiscal year, on March 31st next, when the organization will have been functioning a little less than two years, the Canadian Farm Loans Board will have disbursed nearly $7,000,000 in loans to farmers in six provinces of the Dominion has a figure by J. D. McLean, chairman of the Board. Up to the present time $6,900,000 has been a little over $2,000 and it is pointed out by Dr. McLean that back of the $4,128,000 loaned to the end of November, the Government has securities in the form of lands and buildings valued at almost $6,000,000.

Ottawa, Ontario.—The Royal Winter Fair still maintains its reputation as one of the leading shows of pure-bred Ayrshire breeders but also as one of the best shows for dairy cattle of any breed," says a report of the Canadian Ayrshire Breeders' Association, which is responsible for the Ayrshire exhibits at the show. "The quality of the animals exhibited by this breed of cattle.

Toronto, Ontario.—Announcement is made of the incorporation of Canadian Soap Company, Limited, with a capital of $2,000,000 and the purchase of a 15 acre site in New Toronto, on which construction of a plant employing from 200 to 250 persons during the season, will be begun immediately. The parent company in the United States had been negotiating with the Toronto Industrial Commission for 18 months previous to its actual decision to establish its branch.

Sault Ste Marie, Ontario.—A shipment of 9,000 parcels of speckled trout from the Nemadabie hatchery was started on the trail recently and were placed in large lots from north of the city. The trout are the first to reach this region of the province, station, she largest in the Dominion, whether caught in the forest shortly, was stated by the superintendent of provincial hatcheries, Dr. McLeod, who accompanied the shipment.

Winnipeg, Manitoba.—With a view to establishing a uniformity in honey, the Manitoba Bee Keepers' Association, in conjunction with the Industrial Development Board of Canada and agricultural officials, have formed a joint committee which will pay special attention to the grading and packing of honey in the Province of Manitoba and will establish central grading and marketing boards.

Regina, Saskatchewan.—Hints given to prospective grain exhibitors at the World's Grain Exhibition and Conference at Regina in 1932 by Cecil Tice, secretary of the British Columbia committee, include the following: (1) Exhibits much reach Regina on or before March 1st, 1932; (2) Transportation charges must be prepaid; (3) All exhibits must bear the name of the variety. This is often omitted at first, causing needless confusion and loss of interest; (4) Only one entry may be made in any one class, although exhibitors may enter in as many classes as desired; (5) Exhibits may be taken from any year's crop.

Vancouver, British Columbia.— Results of the 1930 crop of the Dominion Department of Agriculture show that the Jerusalem artichoke makes an ideal forage crop, giving a high yield of dry matter per acre above ground, and when considered from the standpoint of the added value of dry matter by cattle, pigs, a greater tonnage than other sunflowers or corn. At the Sidney, B. C., Experimental Station, the average yield of dry matter per acre over a period of years was 6.01 tons above ground with tubers furnishing an additional 2½ tons. The artichoke was also found easy to handle in the ensilage cutter.

Is This Service ? "Can you give me a room and bath ?"

Clerk: "I can give you a room, Madam, but you will have to take your own bath ?"—National Guardsman.

UGLY FACES

Thousands of Wild Animals to Be Pound With Faces Which Are Almost Terrifying.

If we go far back in the history of our animals and examine the remains of animals which wandered over the great continents, we find that practically every living creature of those days was ugly," writes Oliver G. Pike, F.Z.S., in Chums. "Ugliness does not seem to be counted only in millions of years, but hundreds of thousands, but there are still thousands of wild animals to be found with faces which are almost terrifying in their ugliness.

As the earth itself became more beautiful, it was as though nature had a jealous sister who was determined to produce creatures which would appear to be entirely out of place, and none of these as to be utterly grotesque than an ordinarily ugly animal would be quite good-looking by comparison.

The first faces to appear in our world were probably those of the low forms of life which we still find in ponds. Some of these animalcula appear to be just a small mass of protoplasm with a slit in the side as a mouth; others have a set of bosses mouth; when food is desired a convenient slit appears.

The mouth is the most essential feature of a face; the sea anemone, a creature not much higher in the scale, has a face which is really a glorified mouth; if you watch the anemones in the Zoo aquarium this fact is demonstrated very clearly, for you will see the whole body looking more like a mouth; all the tentacles close over it and it is sucked inside the body.

Science, it has been stated, can explain the meaning and use of every face, but I doubt this. It can tell us why the elephant has a trunk, why the walrus has two elongated teeth which form its tusks, and so on through the long list of ugly creatures, but it can find out why globe, but can it explain why the bat has such a terrifying face, why a seagull to consort of two great nostrils, or why the white owl has a face which, when under artificial light is exactly what we should imagine a ghost to possess?

There are not a great many animals in Great Britain with grotesque faces. Among the birds the puffin is the strangest, with its curious horny bill and many-colored face; runner-up is the nightjar, commonly called the goat-sucker, with its enormous eyes and gaping mouth, but the most strange sup-rstition that it sucks the milk from goats. The face of the long-eared bat, which is seen frequently in late summer, flying high up, is rather like a Chinese fight; it is a fearsome object, but all our British animals are dwarfed in ugliness by creatures of the tropical countries and seas.

Some mammals seem to have borrowed parts from their neighbors—nature must have been in a joking mood when she produced them. For instances are the duck-billed platypus and the curious Sulterine flight; it is a fearsome object, but all our British animals are dwarfed in ugliness by creatures of the tropical countries and seas.

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THE HUNGARIAN PARTRIDGE

Male Fights With His Wife to Perform Duties of Incubation.

The cock Hungarian partridge is one hubby who will fight his wife for the honor of being nursemaid to his children. The feathering instinct is so highly developed in the male of this game bird, which is being imported to America in thousands by many conservation departments, that it frequently often have hectic combats days ending in tragedy or divorce, with the female getting promptly away with the offspring.

This marital secret of the partridge family is a big reason the bird is increasing in America, declared Llewellyn Legge, chief game protector of the New York Conservation Commission, before the seventeenth American game conference.

It absolves the young birds to survive even if the mother meets with untimely death, and also causes the female to bring forth two broods in a season. Keepers have found that if they try to sell her on the idea of a mate not to her liking, that unless it was unfortunate to escape with his neck.

After the birds have mated in the spring, however, and the female has laid her nest of approximately 22 eggs—no accomplishment at that—even this motherly male can boost no special ability, the cock Indian farm keepers have found. Should the mother bird leave her nest, he takes possession, and if after that you ask for the female to drive him off again.

As soon as the young hatch out, Mr. Legge related, the cock commences calling the young in a certain manner, and soon all the chicks have deserted their mother to nestle under his wing.

This often brings warm family discussing, Mr. Legge averred, but usually ends with the mother contenting herself with a second brood.

YOUTHFUL GIANTS.

Ten-Year-Old Boy No Less Than 6 feet 9 Inches in Height.

During recent years there have been a number of sizeable youths and children in England.

Harold Halliday, of Leicester, Leicester, when not quite fourteen years of age, had reached such prodigious proportions that he weighed no less than 280 pounds. To cope with an unusual appetite of which size would prove too much for the average master, who would be easily satisfied, if his pupil merely sat on examination.

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MAKING VINEGAR

Raw Material Is the Finest Golden Barley "Grown" Into Malt.

If you were obliged to confess that you didn't know how, or from what, vinegar was made, you would be one of a very numerous company, writes a "Daily Mail" man. The raw material of vinegar—a valuable condiment with an astonishing number of other uses in the home—is golden barley. After reaping and threshing, the grain is "grown" into malt by being steeped in water, which makes the grains swell and sprout. When, at a certain stage, the sprouting is checked and the grain dried in kilns, to become "malt."

This goes to the vinegar brewery, where the first operation is to crush it in special mills to a suitable fineness. Then, by the addition of hot water, it is "mashed" in enormous tuns, and yeast, which makes the "wash" ferment, is added. Yeast is the only additional material used in the making of pure malt vinegar. No chemical preservative, or other substance is added at any stage.

The fermented mash, now called wash, is first stored in huge vats and goes thence to another tank vessel, called an "acetifier," Half way up the latter are air holes, and at the top a packing of birch twigs. Above these is a "sparging" apparatus which brings the wash in fine jets on to the twigs. That "spilling" of the wash, and its descent to the bottom of the acetifier it meets the air coming in from the holes.

The effect is curious; the nature of the liquid is entirely changed from spirituous to acid. The process of version is complete, the chemists have taken samples, the vinegar is withdrawn and starts its long process of maturing. It is continually being drawn off from one huge vat to another—half a million gallons at a time! The good vinegar the time required is twelve months.

The vats, not unlike gasometers to look at, are usually of English oak but I saw one made of Indian teak. All the pumps and pipes were of expensive sheonite, for vinegar must not touch metal. Filtering, considering the immense care exercised at every stage, might seem unnecessary, but it is done. The filters are made of the finest Egyptian cotton, and are sterilised by steam each time before use. When the vinegar is perfect it goes to the bottling department, an enormous place, where nothing else but its are filled, or to the oak casks, made in their thousands on the premises. What one once supplied barrel is now pure malt vinegar.

During the siege of Mafeking, a private of a Highland regiment "sore reairred" a cask of what he believed to be Scotch-and-National vinegar. He propelled it laboriously to camp, and summoned his comrades for a "guid gallic nicht." When they conceded the cask for broaching, the camp fire revealed the words, "Brimble's Vinegar"! What was said may be left to imagination.

WAYS OF CETACEANS.

Whales, Porpoises, Grampuses and Dolphins Are Not Fish.

Ninety-nine people out of a hundred, if asked whether whales, porpoises, grampuses and dolphins were fish would reply in the affirmative, but none of these animals has any right to the title; they are belong to the class of animals are all mammals, and no mammal is a fish, writes a naturalist in the Wide Star Magazine.

There are several different species of dolphin, but the common dolphin is the only one that frequents British waters. This animal is easily identified with the bottle nose or the white beak, occasionally pay a visit, but they have not become naturalized. The common dolphin is found in the English Channel, and is about eight feet long, black on the back, white underneath, and stripped with grey on the flanks. It has two fins placed well forward on the body, and has developed a throat which is articulated with the reigning families in France for centuries before. Its beauty became a republic. Just as the heir to the British throne is known as the Prince of Wales, so the heir to the French throne was known as the Dauphin, which is simply the French word for dolphin.

LONG LIVED TOADS.

Were Probably Imprisoned 300 or 400 Years.

Three toads taken alive from an Indian mound in North western Oklahoma, where scientists say they probably had been imprisoned for three or four centuries, were on display recently at Oklahoma City at the State Historical Society Museum.

The curator of the historical society said the age of the amphibians depended largely upon the origin of the mound. If the evidence is made by hand, he said, it is probable the toads were imprisoned 300 or 400 years, if it was of natural origin the age of the toads might be even greater. Two of the toads are of the Texas variety, the third a leopard frog.

DEFINITE TURN TO BETTER TRADE NOT YET HERE

Manufacturing and trade in the Dominion of Canada have shown little improvement and business is generally depressed by low wheat prices, movements of newsprint, plastics and boards have been maintained at the high level of November, but were lower than last year. Nickel exports gained in value over September, but both the quantity and value were lower than a year ago. Wood, pulp, copper, automobiles, fish and meat exports recorded losses in both quantity and value as compared with September, 1930, and October, 1929.

Leather footwear factories in the Maritime provinces and Quebec were still fairly busy but production shows a tendency to decline. Rubber shoe production is larger and the demand for rubber sundries is increasing. Groceries and foodstuffs are moving in satisfactory volume with prices generally steady except only for potatoes which declined materially. Retail clothing trade is quiet but merchants appear to be purchasing in larger quantities. Substantial orders for transportation equipment are expected before the end of the year.

Typewriter and seasonal sports goods are the most active lines in a relatively dull speciality market. There is a fair demand for aeronautical equipment as the practice of commercial flying is being rushed on 14 emergency landing fields in Saskatchewan.

Recent Vancouver approvals of fruit include Japanese oranges, and Jamaica oranges and fruit. Winter automobile deliveries are selling well in British Columbia. Saw mills in the provinces are reported to be operating at 50 per cent normal; shingle mills at 40 per cent normal. The Dominion Bureau of Statistics estimated the 1930 potato crop of Canada at 2,458,000 tons or 23 per cent more than the 1929 yield. Sugar beet yield is also high, the estimate of 486,000 tons being 33 per cent larger than the 1929 yield.

80,000 VOLUMES IN TRAVELLING LIBRARIES

Growing out of an early effort of the National Council of Women, to provide reading matter for the settlers on the Saskatchewan prairies, provincial government travelling libraries have become a system involving 80,000 volumes, providing a circulation book for every man, woman and child resident in the province. The service fills a want in the lives of prairie dwellers, who are far removed from literary centres and hundreds of letters are received at the library of the provincial government each year, testifying to the appreciation which the recipients of the libraries feel for the service. In 1915 there were eight libraries in circulation while December of this year finds 1363 in use with 130 new applications on the file.

In the early days of the Northwest, when settlements were isolated, distances great and transportation difficult, the need for reading matter was very great. Some pioneer families brought with them a few cherished books and these were soon worn and borrowed, and passed from hand to hand, until nothing was left except tattered remnants. The long nights of winter, when the coyote howled through the blizzard, and the frost boards of the buildings cracked like pistol shots, were unsupportable without literature, and it is not to be wondered at that many a prairie wife fell into a condition of nervous prostration from the loneliness of the situation.

It is significant that one of the earliest activities of the National Council of Women, which was organized in the year following the Riel rebellion of 1885, consisted of efforts to aid the people suffering from that insurrection. As the country settled the demand for library services became more insistent and the first action was taken by the provincial government of the province in respect to travelling libraries and a system of co-operation was inaugurated.

No such service has been attempted by any other province in the Dominion except British Columbia. The work of the travelling library is augmented by the open shelf library. The latter is a students' reference library and specializes on social and economic questions, science and philosophy, history, travel, agriculture, and religion and kindred subjects.

LOW FARM PRICES POPULARIZE HORSE

Faced with low grain values, farmers of Western Canada are finding tractors too expensive to operate and are returning to the horse for their farm work, it is indicated in reports received by the Department of Agriculture. The horse undoubtedly still holds a place for plowing, but there is no longer any demand for horses in the prairie provinces and excellent prices have been received at recent sales in the west.

In order to provide against greater demand for horses in the future, Hon. Robert Weir, Minister of Agriculture, is giving consideration to a plan of buying in England a few choice agriculture sires for breeding draft horses in Canada.

ONE GOOD RECIPE MAKES A COOK FAMOUS

Christmas cooking brings to mind visions of turkey, mince pie, fruit cake and plum pudding, and the overtaxing with delicacies for the Christmas dinner. But that's only one meal of the Christmas week and in most homes preparations are made ahead of time, of course, for Christmas guests. If the hostess wishes to be free to enjoy herself with her guests this must be done ahead of time. Many of the delights of cookies made the week before for all emergencies. The following recipe will be found a help in preparing for the busy season.

1 Cupful of shortening; 1½ cupfuls of sugar, 2 eggs, 1 teaspoonful soda and of two lemons; 1 tablespoonful of molasses.

Cream the shortening and add the sugar gradually, blending well. Add the beaten eggs; then the flour, sifted with the soda and salt, and the juice and lemon rind. Chill the dough well, roll it out ¼ inch thick on a floured board, keeping the remainder well chilled, and cut in desired shapes. The secret of success in making cut-out cookies is to have a tender cookie and roll very thin. Bake ten to twelve minutes in a moderate oven. Cookies containing molasses these will burn easily and must be carefully watched.

EXPORT MORE WHEAT BUT VALUES LOWER

Exports, both of wheat and wheat flour during the month of November, last showed a substantial increase in quantity over the exports for November, 1929, but owing to lower prices, the total value of the exports is lower. There is an increase both in quantity and value of the exports for the four months ending November 30th last, over the corresponding period last year. Exports of wheat flour for the four months, totalled 2,967,544 barrels, valued at $13,-076,080, compared with 2,227,704 barrels, valued at $14,029,473 in the same period in 1929.

No child should be allowed to suffer an hour from worms when prompt relief can be got in a simple but strong remedy—Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator.

FISH OIL EXPORTS SHOWING INCREASE

More than 4,400,000 gallons of fish oil, exclusive of medicinal cod liver oil, and more than 22,700 tons of fish meal, were produced in the fisheries in the province in Canada last year, according to returns made to the Canadian Government Department of Fisheries.

Including 91,000 gallons of medicinal cod liver oil, the oil output totalled 4,506,316 gallons and had a marketed value of $1,845,000 in round figures, while the fish meal production had a marketed value of $1,913,000.

Expansion of the production of fish meal and oil has been one of the noteworthy developments in the connection with the Dominion Fisheries operations in recent years, and further expansion may be expected.

The larger part of the annual production of fish meal, 'a commodity which is of exceptional value as a food for poultry and livestock, is exported to the United States, Germany, Japan, and the Netherlands. Much of the fish oil, which is used in paint manufacture and for a variety of other commercial purposes, is also exported, going to the British Isles, the United States and the Netherlands.

QUALITY COUNTS IN FARM PRODUCTS

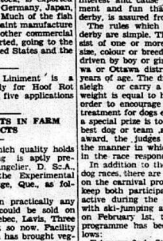
The importance which quality holds in successful farming is aptly presented by G. A. Langelier, D. Sc.A., Superintendent of the Experimental Station at Cap Rouge, Que., as follows:—

"A time was when practically any kind of vegetables could be sold on such markets as Quebec, Levis or Three Rivers, but not so now. Facility of rail transportation has brought vegetables from such distant points as Florida and even California to our doors, letting alone competition from nearer points. Now, therefore, a fine possibly of soil have more than counterbalanced freight and express charges. The goods are generally of good quality, well graded and packed and the wholesale dealers eagerly buy them; the retailers also ask for them, as they can be had regularly and in quantities sufficiently. How can the local grower meet such competition? By producing something that is worth selling, which means quality and appearance. This is why in making selections for the Cap Rouge Experimental Station has not only looked to yield, but also to quality and appearance. Samples were sent each year to leading retailers in Quebec City and valuable information was thus gained as to what was really worth while producing on account of being easy to sell profitably."

Quick Getaway. "Yes, I heard a noise and got up, and there under the bed, was a man's leg."

"Good heavens! The burglar's ?"

"No, by husband's. He'd heard the noise ,too."—Capper's Weekly



"Up to a few years ago I practiced my profession in Seattle, Washington, where I had a fine practice. I am now in practice. On account of poor health I was forced to retire.

"For two years my strength and vitality declined steadily. I traveled from place to place in search of health but failed to find relief.

"The Siegon Treatment completely restored my health. The way it restored my energy and vitality is nothing short of remarkable. I feel better than for twenty years and attribute my present good health to this great medicine. I regard it as a real triumph of science."

Dr. Hutchinson now resides at Palo Alto, California.

Sold by Beaver's Drug Store.

FORCED TO RETIRE

DR. ARCH HUTCHINSON, B. D. S., says he regards new Sargon as real triumph of Science.

Junior Dog Derby Is Ottawa Feature

Capital Plans Many Amusements For Participants and Spectators Alike During Big Week, February 1st to February 7th.

Boys and girls of Ottawa and the surrounding district towns are not going to be outdone this year by such world famous dog drivers as Leonhard Seppala and Emile St. Goddard, of The Pas, Manitoba. The latter may hold his title as winner of the Chateau Laurier Thousand Dollar Gold Trophy and therefore the fastest driver under race in North America, but at least he cannot interefere with the honours which will go to one of the Juniors who will be judged the winner of the junior dog racing classic, the Ottawa Junior Derby, which the committee has included in this year's events.

It was only last year that Ottawa citizens discovered that they could operate a dog derby which would surpass all existing ideas of dog racing events with winter sports elsewhere. With three days of racing, over a course of 35 miles each day, there was keen competition among such famous mushers at St. Goddard, Earl Brydges, Leonhard Seppala, Supuis and other whose names have become well-known where dog racing is discussed. Following a trail laid out from the Chateau Laurier, these drivers sledded along behind their teams over the three days' heat, and St. Goddard was adjudged the winner and was awarded the end of the hundred mile trail.

This year senior dog derby numbers will be back again, at the winter carnival, which is to be held from February 1st to the February 7th, but they will have competition in public interest, if not in the actual race, from the youngsters of Ottawa and the Ottawa Valley towns, who are now "pepping" their dogs for the big week which will decide the ownership of a handsome silver cup and other valuable prizes. The kiddies will not, of course, be down over a hundred mile trail, instead they will race on a shorter course which will be exciting and finishing their race at the Chateau Laurier Hotel. But that their race will attract as much attention and interest and cause as much excitement and thrill will the senior derby, is assured from the start.

The rules which govern the junior derby are simple. The teams may consist of one or more dogs of any age, size, colour or breed, but they must be driven by boy or girl residents of Ottawa or Ottawa district, under fourteen years of age. The driver must ride the sleigh or carry a passenger whose weight is equal to his or her own. In order to encourage the best care and treatment for dogs entered in this race, a special prize is to be awarded to the driver of the team which, in making this award, the judges will konsider also the treatment which all dogs entered in the race respond to their drivers.

In addition to the senior and junior dog races, the Ottawa Junior Club plans on the carnival programme which will keep both participants and spectators active during the week. Commencing with ski-jumping at Fairy Lake jump on February 2nd, for the silver cup trophy, the programme has been outlined as follows:—

February 2nd—Start of 100-mile senior Dog Derby, from front of Chateau Laurier Hotel, for Governor-General's Challenge Trophy. Presentation by the governor General, to fire the starting gun. Awards in this race are the Governor-General's Gold Cup and $3,500 in prizes. 10:00 p.m.—Formal opening of carnival tobogganing slide at Aylmer. Torch light parade.

February 3rd—Noon: Second day of Senior Dog Derby, 35 miles. 8 p.m.—National Hockey League game, New York Americans vs. Ottawas, at Auditorium rink.

February 4th—Noon: Third day of Senior Dog Derby, 35 miles. 3.00 p.m. —Novice Ski Jump figure skating championships at Minto Club Skating Rink. 8.00 p.m.—Grand Carnival Ball at Chateau Laurier. Presentation of Gold Cup and Dog Derby prizes, and crowning of the Queen of the Carnival. 8.00 p.m.—Ottawa City Hockey League games at auditorium.

February 5th — Morning and afternoon: Opening of Winter Carnival during Seagull Cup City rinks, open to all curlers of Canada and the United States. 3.00 p.m.—North American figure skating championships. 8.00 p.m. —Torchlight procession to Parliament Hill, followed by fireworks display from Peace Tower. Fireworks display at Parliament Hill. 9.30 p.m. — Bonfire of 1700 cords of wood. 10.00 p.m.—Concert followed by beaux supper and moccasin dance at Armouries.

February 6th—Morning and afternoon: Winter Carnival Bonspiel games, 9.30 p.m.—Canadian National Speed Skating Championships for men and women. North American Ladies' Speed Skating Championships. 8.00 p.m.— Minto Skating Club extravaganza, "Alladin and his Magic Lamp." 400 skaters, 100 musicians.

February 7th— Morning elimination heats in the Junior Dog Derby at Rockcliffe Park. 2.30 p.m.—Canadian National and North American Ladies' speed skating championships at Minto Skating Rink. Finals in Junior Dog Derby. At auditorium, children's matinee of skating extravaganza, by Minto Skating Club. 3.30 p.m.—Ontario Ski Championships. 8.00 p.m.—Minto Skating Club, "Alladin and his Magic Lamp," at the auditorium.

Horse racing races will be held on a special track on the ice of the Ottawa River. If entries received justify holding of this event.

In addition to the programme of events for carnival week, the committee in charge of the winter carnival have also arranged plenty of activities for those who wish to participate in winter sports themselves. for Rockcliffe Park with its facilities for skating, tobogganing, snowshoeing and other winter sports, is within ten minutes drive of the Chateau Laurier, while the Gatineau Hills, with their 100 miles of charted ski trails, have their beginning just across the river from Ottawa. Skating on open-air and covered rinks has also been arranged for the followers of this delightful sport, who will find relaxation at the end of their hour day in the magnificent halls of the Chateau Laurier, which will be open to them. Here a dainty Palm Beach effect has been secured by the use of palms, sun-fay lamps and the use of a floor covering resembling a sandy beach, so that visitors to Ottawa can easily imagine themselves at a southern beach as they relax after their strenuous exercise of the day.

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To Our Friends and Customers

We thank you for your patronage during the year that is drawing to a close.

We solicit a continuance of your patronage during 1931, and join in wishing you a Very Happy and Prosperous New Year.

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BAY CIRCUIT

Everyone enjoyed the delightful Christmas weather.—Rev. Harry Mellow, B.A., and Mrs. Mellow, of Manilla, are spending their Christmas vacation at his home at Gretna. On Sunday Mr. Mellow preached on this circuit and the congregations enjoyed his helpful and optimistic messages. Harry will always be heard with pleasure on this home circuit.—Gordon Sparks, of the west son of Mr. and Mrs. Herb Sparks, of Gretna, was in Kingston Hospital the last week, where he went to have a piece of shot removed from the leg. The operation was rather serious, as the steel was lodged in the bone. The accident happened when he and some of his boy friends were out shooting. At present, Gordon is home again and slowly recovering.—Mr. and Mrs. Earl Allenbrook, of Toronto, are spending their holidays at the home of his parents, at Gretna.—Mr. W. Parks, of Flint, Mich., is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Parks, of Hay Bay.—Rev. W. H. and Mrs. Truscott were in town for Christmas and were looking in some of their old friends of the Bay Circuit.—Sorry to learn that Mr. John Waite, who is in Kingston Hospital, had the misfortune to fall and cut his head badly.—The parsonage people are slowly recovering from their severe attack of Scarlet Fever. The baby came home from the hospital on Sunday. It is expected that the quarantine will be lifted in time for Mr. Beckel to take charge of his work on Sunday, January 18th.—Mrs. Fred Spencer's condition is very serious. She is still at the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. Spencer, South Napanee.—Mr. and Mrs. Beckel and family wish to all thank the many friends for gifts to them at this Christmas season.' Scores and scores of families and friends from this circuit, from the immediate neighborhood of South Napanee and from town, contributed to the showers of gifts. The Ladies' Aids of the circuit presented Mr. Beckel with a gold watch and chain and Mrs. Beckel with a beautiful silk scarf.—All services will be held at 2.30 p.m. on this circuit on Sunday, January 4th. Rev. W. P. Woodger, will preach at Hay Bay. Rev. H. Pawson will be the minister at Bethany, while Rev. T. H. P. Sharman will preach at Centreville.

HAWLEY

The Sunday School and School concerts were most successful, reflecting great credit on Mr. Young and his pupils. The choruses, particularly, were excellent.—Christmas visitors: Mr. and Mrs. Arch. Parks and family; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Huycke and family at R. Cronkwright's; Mr. and Mrs. Allan Parks and Dorothy at B. Parks'; Miss Dorothy Desormeir; Dr. Morley Smith, New York, at J. L. Smiths'; Mr. and Mrs. R. Pretts and Mr. and Mrs. Beleanquel, at W. G. Pretts; Mr. and Mrs. Eb. Pretts and family, at Mrs. Hawley's, Napanee; Mr. and Mrs. Carman Day and sons, at Gananoque; Mr. and Mrs. A. Clark and sons at Mrs. R. J. Galt's; Mr. and Mrs. George Creighton and family at H. Clement's; Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Asselstine and Sam, at E. O. Ungar's, Napanee; Messrs Arthur and Edmund Sherman, Detroit, at W. Wood's; Mrs. Mary Creighton and Mr. and Mrs. George Loyst, at J. Craven's; Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Cuthill and family at Robertson Bros., Sillsville; Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Pretts and family, at F. Lampkin's, Napanee. — Mr. and Mrs. Ackerman entertained at dinner on Friday evening.—Mr. Ernest Wood and Mr. John Wood were visitors at M. Baker's, Bath, on Sunday.—The Y.P.S. will meet at Mr. J. P. Cuthill's on Friday evening. Election of officers.—The W. M. S. and Ladies' Aid will meet at Mrs. Cuthill's on Wednesday, January 14th. Notice the change of date.—Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Asselstine entertained on Monday it being the twentieth anniversary of their marriage.—On Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Les. Bluey entertained Mr. and Mrs. McMullen and sons, of Switzerville, Miss Oneta McMullen, of Chatham, and Miss Mary McMullen, of New York state.

Hard and Soft Cord Wood for sale cut steve wood length. 48tf
E. LIGHT.

Anderson, a former pastor, will have charge of the services at Centreville. The Bethany Ladies' Aid will hold their monthly meeting on Wednesday, January 7th, at the home of Miss Gayle Miller.

UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF

Napanee has been voted $10,000.00 for unemployment relief work, $6,000.00 for sewer and water mains; Port Hope $14,350.00 for sewers and wharf; Stirling, $6,000.00 for relief work, in last Friday's list.

HARRY RAYNOR PAROLED

It was learned at Portsmouth Penitentiary on Saturday morning that Harry Raynor, who was committed in Belleville in August, 1927, to four years for receiving money under false pretences, has been released on ticket of leave. Raynor figured in the sale of motor cars and built up a big business in Belleville and Picton, up to the time of his arrest.

NAPANEE HUMANE SOCIETY

A meeting will be held on Wednesday, December 31st, in the Public Library at 7.30 p.m. Will all members, children and adults, please be on hand? The Humane 1931 calendars, which are very colorful and instructive of Canadian bird-life, may be purchased for 50c from any member or at Hooper's Drug Store and Mayhew's Jewellery Store. This is a chance a good cause. Will the members also come prepared to pay their fees for the ensuing year? —O. F. Smith, President. 53a

POULTRY MEETING

The next meeting of Lennox and Addington Poultry Association will be held on Wednesday evening, January 7th, 1931, at 8.00 p.m. in the class room of the Department of Agriculture. All varieties of Rocks will be on exhibition and judged and awards will be placed. Afterwards a social evening will be spent. All members are requested to be present. Everybody welcome. (Notice change of date for this meeting.)—Secretary.

HAND BADLY INJURED

Kenneth Vivian, garage proprietor at Shannonville, was the victim of a peculiar accident on the highway on Thursday night. He had been called out with his service truck to pull out of the ditch a car belonging to C. Long, which had been sideswiped and sent forward off the road by another car. In operating the derrick on the service car to lift the Long car out of the hollow, Mr. Vivian's left sleeve caught in the mechanism of the crane which was starting to operate, drawing the back of his hand against a projection, a bolt, which tore the ligaments of the hand and caused heavy loss of blood. The young man was taken to the General Hospital at Belleville and was given medical attention. The injury was quite serious and will lay Mr. Vivian up for a short time.

POLICE COURT NEWS

There were two hit and run drivers in town last week and the police court is pending with one driver, but the other has not yet been located.

While sliding on Platy Hill, last week, a child was run over by a buggy, both wheels passing over the body. The name of the child is not known, and fortunately the accident was not very serious.

The Chief takes this opportunity to warn all children against sliding on the hills which are travelled by cars. The driver has no chance on slippery roads either of turning out or stopping, when a child runs in his path. Also children shoufld be very careful, and knowing that a car cannot be controlled on slippery roads, should refrain from playing and sliding on the road.

WEDDING BELLS

FINDLATER — DUMBRILLE

A very beautiful but quiet wedding was solemnized in the Church of St. Mary Magdalene, Napanee, on December 29th, 1930, at 1.30 p.m., when Helen Frances, youngest daughter of Rev. and Mrs. R. J. Dumbrille, was united in marriage to Mr. Geoffrey Findlater, son of the late Herbert Snowdon Findlater, K.C., and Mrs. Evelyn Findlater, of Dublin, Ireland.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. R. J. Dumbrille, father of the bride. The decoration of the church, under the direction of Mrs. G. Tustin, added much to the charm of the occasion.

The bride was beautifully gowned in brown chiffon and cream lace, with hat and shoes to match. She wore the gift of the groom, a cameo brooch. She was unattended.

The music was rendered by the choir of St. Mary Magdalene, in full attendance, under the direction of Mr. W. I. Faulkner, organist and choir leader. The bride entered the church on the arm of her brother, Ernest Dumbrille, and was preceded up the aisle by the choir singing, "The Voice that Breathed O'er Eden."

After luncheon at the vicarage, the happy young couple left for Toronto, where they will reside.

INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS

The annual installation of the Officers of Union Lodge, No. 249, A.F. & A.M., No. 8, was held on Saturday evening, December 27th, at the Festival of St. John the Evangelist. The officers were duly installed and invested by R. W. Bro. H. A. Carscallen, P.D.D.G.M. Prontenac District, assisted by several brethren as ref Brethren of Victoria Lodge, No. 299 Centreville, in a most creditable manner.

After the Lodge was closed the Brethren adjourned to the Masonic Temple and enjoyed a sumptuous repast; and after the usual toasts and responses retired to their homes well pleased with the evening's entertainment.

Following are the officers installed:

W. M.—W. Bro. Frederick W. Barrett.

I. P. M.—W. Bro. F. U. Laidley.

S. W.—Bro. Byrne M. Black.

J. W.—Bro. Fred R. Stafford.

Chaplain—Bro. R. J. Dumbrille.

Treasurer—Bro. Mark P. Graham.

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J. D. — Bro. C. E. Hendrick.

Organist—Bro. G. Beverly Thompson.

Inner Guard—Bro. Kenneth S. Hamilton.

Tyler—Bro. Ernest Hall.

Auditor — W. Bro. W. J. Wiggins.

Auditor—W. Bro. C. S. Reid.

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S. S. — Bro. George H. Daly.

D. O. C. — W. Bro. Wilfred S. Wilson.

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SUNDAY AFTERNOON—BEE!

From 3 to 4 o'clock, in Wonderland Rink, the Men's Forum. Good singing, good music and a good talk. All men invited. Bring your friend.

THE NEW CHEVROLET CAR IS HERE!

The new 1931 Chevrolet Car will be on display in our show rooms on Saturday, January 3rd. Call in and see these beautiful cars. Interview at new lower Prices.—C. A. Wiseman, dealer. 53a

THE INCREASING DEMAND

During the last twelve weeks, nearly thirty graduates of the Kingston Business College were appointed to positions, seven in one office. Among the number were Marion Percy, of Verona, and Myrtle Teepel, of Elgin; besides six who were recently appointed to permanent Government positions. 52a

LOCATE THREE BOATMEN MAROONED SIX DAYS

Missing since December 23rd, when they started from Bath for Oswego, N.Y., in a 13-cylinder power boat, Capt. William Sheridan and two companions have been found marooned on the main Ducks Island, 22 miles from Kingston. Capt. Sheridan made for the Ducks shortly after the start of his journey, when the engine began misfiring. Noting a black smudge on the island, during an aerial search, Pilot Harry Free of the Kingston Flying Club, returned to Kingston, whence a speed boat started for the island Sunday afternoon, in charge of Cecil Phillips, of Kingston. The three men were found safe and sound, and will be brought back shortly.

SUFFERED BAD INJURIES

On Friday night a very serious accident occurred, when Mr. Walter Russell's car skidded and left the road, about one mile east of Napanee. Mr. Russell has been operating a taxi business in Napanee for several years. A passenger in the car, on the night of the accident, received no injuries, but Mr. Russell was taken to Kingston General Hospital, where it was found he was sufering from serious wounds to the head, eighteen stitches being necessary to close the wound. While his condition was considered very serious, according to latest reports he is improving as much as can be expected under the circumstances. The car was taken to Ungar's Garage in a badly wrecked condition.

ODESSA

The Misses Jessie and Gladys Killgannon, Bath, are spending their holidays with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. William Henry.—Miss Rose Gleason, Wolfe Island, spent Friday with her sister, Mrs. J. L. Swift and Mr. Swift, before leaving to spend her holidays at her home in Almonte.—Mrs. Marrigan, Deseronto, spent a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Morden Vrooman and Mr. Vrooman.—Miss Ruth Cairns and Miss Marian Cairns, Ottawa, are spending Christmas and holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cairns.—Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kilgannon and family, Bath, spent Christmas Day with Mrs. Kilgannon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Henry.—Mrs. Mathews, Rochester, arrived on Wednesday to spend Christmas with her mother, Mrs. T. C. Graham.—Mr. Fred Sproule, Toronto, spent his motor. Mrs. S. J. Sproule.—William Vrooman, Kingston, with his son, Mr. Herman Vrooman and Mrs. Vrooman.—Mr. John Ferguson, Murvale, is spending a week with his sister, Mrs. C. McLaughlin and Mr. McLaughlin.—Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Robertson, Violet, spent Christmas Day at W. W. Chapman's.—Mrs. Etta Kenyon, Toronto, is spending Christmas and the week end with Mr. and Mrs. B. L. King.—Mr. and Mrs. George Hughes and daughter, Miss Minnie Hughes, Harrowsmith, were guests of the former's brother, Mr. Anson Hughes and Mrs. Hughes, last Sunday. Miss Beatrice Shibley and Mr. C. Hanson Smith, were also their guests last Tuesday.—Mr. and Mrs. Roes Jones and Mrs. Carnahan, Kingston, spent Christmas with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Jones.—Mr. and Mrs. Charley Mumford, Centreville, were guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Hamm.—Mr. and Mrs. Charley Reed and son, Frederick, Kingston, were guests of Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Mabee, for Christmas.—Mr. and Mrs. James Young, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Parkhill, Kingston.—Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Sharpe and son Gerald and Charley, spent Christmas with Mrs. Sharpe's sister, Mrs. A. C. Shayne, and Mr. Shayne, Bath.—Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Swift, and little daughter, Catherine, left on Wednesday night to spend Christmas with Mr. Swift's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gleason, Almonte.—Mr. and Mrs. Cunningham, with relatives in Ashtavilla.—Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Holmes and daughter Alice, with Mr. and Mrs. Anderson, Napanee.—Mr. and Mrs. Shelly Denyes left last week to spend the winter months with the latter's sister, in Bermuda.—Mr. Fred Caton left on Monday to spend Christmas with his daughter, Mrs. Fred Montgomery and Mr. Montgomery, Buffalo.—Mr. and Mrs. Rosewell Binney, spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kimmitt, Moscow.—Carlton Daugherty was a recent guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Daugherty.—Mr. Joseph Lawrence and Miss Linne, left for Christmas with the former's sister, Mrs. Cody, and other relatives in Belleville.—Mr. and Mrs. Edward Mallory, left to spend a couple of weeks with their son, Mr. Joseph Mallory and Mrs. Mallory, Ashtabula, N. Y. — School closed last Friday to reopen on January 5th.—Our town teachers spent their Christmas and holidays at their respective homes; Mr. Leonard Cordick, Perth; Miss Aylesworth, Napanee, and Miss Anglin, Kingston. The popular teachers all received handsome gifts from their pupils, after the concert on the Christmas tree, Friday afternoon.—The United Church held their annual Sunday School Christmas Tree in the Church Hall last Monday night. The hall was handsomely decorated and a fine tree was laden with beautiful gifts. A very fine programme had been prepared for the occasion.—The Free Methodist Church held their annual Christmas Tree Tuesday night. The lovely tree was well filled with handsome gifts and a very large crowd attended.—The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Graham were very sorry to hear that he broke his right wrist in two places, while cranking his car last Thursday night.

FREE SHOTS ON Local Sport

First of all, we want to wish all our readers a Happy and Prosperous New Year and everything else that will go to make 1931 the best year yet.

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And now let's take a look at the local basketball situation.

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The Senior Girls at the school repeated last year's record by winning every game, and all they have to do now, is to keep in shape for the semi-finals, which is no small job.

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It is too bad that the local loop has to be played before Christmas, when the other leagues are played after the holiday.

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The two boys' teams have been working hard and the junior outfit looks very good. As yet little is known of the strength of the other teams in the group.

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Albert College has a new coach this year, who knows the game backwards and the team he turns out will bear watching.

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Gibbard's have entered a team in the O. B. A. A. Intermediate League, taking the place which the Vocational squad held last year. They have been strength ened by two of the town boys, who will doubtless give a good account of themselves before the season is over.

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It looks as though Belleville "Y" last year's champions, will be the team to beat again this year. The other teams appear to be more or less weakened by players who have left their ranks.

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The locals have been playing a lot of ball during the holidays, the college men affording stiff competition and they should be in good shape when the schedule opens the week after next.

Local Jottings

Local and long distance moving. FRANK BARNDEN, Napanee, 'Phone 249. 299p-tf

—Owing to the continued illness of Mr. A. MacGregor, our Band Leader, there will be no January band concert.

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—On Tuesday evening, January 13th the Conway Women's Institute will meet at the home of Miss J. Dennee at 7.30 p.m. Roll call "A Hot Supper Dish," with recipe. Mrs. Bruce Robertson will give an address on "Community Activities," also Mr. Cuppage, Bath, will deliver a special address. The roll cookie contest is open to all members.

BAY VIEW

The Ladies' Aid held their business meeting of the year at the home of Mrs. Thomas Miller. The following are the officers for the year: President, Mrs. F. Nicholson; Vice-Pres., Mrs. Roy Storms; Secretary, Mrs. Murray Wemp; Treasurer, Mrs. Sidney Little; Organist, Miss Mildred Bonter. The first meeting in the New Year will be held at the home of Mrs. Hattie Kavanagh, on January 8th.—The Institute held their last meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Nicholson, in the evening, it being an open meeting for the neighborhood. Mr. Runions, Agricultural Representative, of Napanee, gave some splendid lantern slides along agricultural and scientific lines which greatly enjoyed. These were much enjoyed by a splendid gathering and a fair sum was realized for the Institute. The next Institute meeting will be held at the Misses Fairfield, on January 8th.—Mr. and Mrs. Lorne McDonough spent Christmas with Mrs. McDonough's mother, Adolphustown.—Mr. Harold Pitman, Toronto, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Frink.—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Compton spent Christmas with their daughter, Mrs. Frank Baker, Portsmouth.— Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wemp and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Wemp, spent Christmas at C. P. Nicholson's, also Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gibbard and family, Napanee. —Miss Lorna Wemp is spending a few days with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Wemp spent Sunday with them.—Mrs. Charles Hinch spent Sunday at Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Fraser's.—Mr. and Mrs. Leo Wemp spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Colnpton's.—Rev. and Mrs. Herring, Napanee, spent Friday evennig the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Nicholson.

SELBY

Nomination day passed off as usual, with a much larger crowd in attendance than last year, owing to the good results.—The Y. P. S. will hold their annual election of officers on Friday evening. All the members are requested to attend and help elect the officers for the coming year.—The regular monthly meeting of the W. M. S. will be held on Thursday, January the 8th, under the leadership of the new president, Mrs. L. W. Foley.—Miss Edra McKnight, of Niagara Falls, is spending a few weeks visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur McKnight.—Miss Pauline Denison, of Corbyville, is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Denison.—Rev. H. W. Poley and Mrs. Poley and daughter, Miss Dorothy, spent Christmas at Deseronto with their daughter, Mrs. Mark C. Gardener, at Garden Hill.—Miss Laura Foley is spending a few days with her friend, Miss Grace Moore, at Colborne.—Mr. Donald Fitzpatrick has been spending a few days visiting friends at Picton.—Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bridge and daughter, Amy, spent Christmas at Mr. Calvin Arnold's, Robinson.—Mr. J. H. Nobles, of Dunbarton, visited recently at Mr. Harry Gourlie's.—A baby girl has come to brighten the home of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Hodgins. —Mr. and Mrs. Wesley York, Roblin, and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Pringle, West Huntingdon, and Mr. and Mrs. Pringle, of Hawley, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Wellington Johnston.—Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Shingler, Toronto, called on Mr. and Mrs. Mark Pringle.

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VII. Odds and ends, so to speak. Broken lines in flannel, crepe, jersey, etc., Dresses, for Children and Misses. Each..... $2.50

VIII. Two clearance tables of Children's and Ladies' Hats. One group of Children's Tams and Hats at 25c each, and another group of Misses' and Ladies' Felt and Velvet Hats to clear at 75c each. There are yet three months in which to wear those Hats, so here is an opportunity to secure one at the low price of 75c.

Quilt making will again be the favorite pastime of the ladies. We again offer the bundles of Quilt Patches at 25c. Also last color Print at 19c and 25c a yard. Paisley Red Chintz at 25c a yard. Fast colored Chint at 19c to 39c a yard, and the very finest Pure White Batting at 28c a lb.

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Bald Man—"And what suit for me?" —Lustre Zeitung.

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He: "No, not all of them. I was only there for two weeks."—Selected.

Necessary. "I've berry sorry, Deacon Johnsing, to see you comin' outa dat bootlegger's house."

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Also, any person applying for relief under Old Age Pension Act, shall apply through the Township Clerk.

GEORGE H. HAM, Clerk,
Township South Frederickshurgh.
By order of the Council.

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